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First World War trench hero is honoured with village memorial

Family pride at 'gentle grandpa' who won VC

By Matthew Brown

GALLANT, selfless, valiant – just a few words that could be used to describe a First World War hero from Stratfield Saye who received the Victoria Cross.

Lance Corporal James Welch VC – born and schooled in the village – was commemorated with a memorial stone unveiled by HM Lord Lieutenant of Hampshire, Nigel Atkinson, on Saturday.

Around 100 people, including four of L/Cpl Welch's grandchildren and other family members, were joined by local dignitaries for the ceremony at the memorial in New Street.

"I'm very proud. I was really honoured to be here today to see it happen," said John Welch, the youngest grandson.

"I used to go and stay at my grandfather's house for holidays when he lived in Bournemouth. I remember watching the first episode of Dr Who.

"He was a nice gentle man, just a nice grandpa."

L/Cpl Welch received the highest award that can be bestowed on a British soldier after an act of immense selflessness on a battlefield in northern France.

It was during the Battle of Arras on April 29, 1917, which marked the beginning of the spring offensive on the Western Front that he carried out the acts of bravery for which he was honoured.

L/Cpl Welch gallantly entered a German trench, killing a soldier after a brutal hand-to-hand struggle, and then, armed with an empty revolver, chased four enemy soldiers into the open and captured them single-handedly.

Aged 27, he fearlessly manned his machine-gun and despite being exposed to heavy fire returned to search for and collect ammunition and spare parts in order to keep his guns in action.

He did this for five hours until being wounded by a shell.

L/Cpl Welch, who went on to become a sergeant, died in Bournemouth in 1978.

The memorial stone was unveiled exactly 100 years on from L/Cpl Welch's heroism.

Another grandson, Major Phillip Welch, spoke of how his previous military experience probably would have helped him in the situation.

"He earned his medal because

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Descendants of LC James Welch VC, including Major Phillip Welch (left of centre), gather round the memorial.

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Thugs attack man cycling back from railway station

By Matthew Brown

A GANG of thugs attacked a cyclist in South View at the weekend.

The victim was riding home from the railway station between 12.15am and 12.35am on Saturday on the path that runs from Queen Mary Avenue to Sutton Road when a group of three or four youths assaulted him.

It is not known at this stage why he was attacked.

The 44-year-old suffered cuts to his head and body.

He was treated for his injuries at Basingstoke and North Hampshire Hospital and later discharged.

Police are now appealing for information to find out what happened and are asking witnesses to come forward.

DC Dan Leese, of Basingstoke CID, said: "We are at an early stage in the investigation and want to hear from anyone who has information about what happened.

"It took place in the alleyway next to the houses in Gower Close and The Vyne Community School.

"Did you witness the assault? Did you hear or notice anything suspicious? If so, please get in touch."

Anyone with information should call DC Leese on 101, quoting reference 44170159227.

Alternatively, contact charity Crimestoppers on 0800 555111.

Voters to choose councillors today

VOTERS in Basingstoke and Deane are set to go to the polls today for the county council elections.

A total of 41 candidates are standing with 10 seats up for grabs to represent the borough on Hampshire County Council for the next four years.

Currently the council is controlled by the Conservatives, who hold 47 of the 78 seats.

It is also made up of 16 Liberal Democrats, seven from UKIP, four from Labour, two from Community Campaign Hart and two independents.

One seat is vacant.

Polling stations are open from 7am until 10pm.

Voters will be heading to the polls today

NHS collaboration 'improving services'

A COLLABORATION between four Hampshire NHS groups will "speed up the improvement of services for patients", it is claimed.

North Hampshire clinical commissioning group (CCG) teamed up with the three other county CCGs to work more closely together in a formal partnership established at the beginning of April.

"Working together is allowing us to share expertise, to be more effective and to reduce duplication," said Dr David Chilvers, chairman of Fareham and Gosport CCG. "As a result we are able to speed up the improvement of services."

All four groups share a chief executive, Maggie MacIsaac, who has worked for the NHS in varied roles at a senior level.

Between the four groups, they provide health services for 850,000 people with a budget of £1.1billion.

The group will also work closely with Hampshire County Council and other groups close by.

Ms MacIsaac said: "Working together as a partnership is already helping us to make a difference to the delivery of care for our local communities and simplifying how we work with Hampshire County Council."

News Bites

Biker, 62, killed

BASINGSTOKE: A motorcyclist has been killed after he was involved in a crash with a tractor near Basingstoke on April 26.

The two vehicles collided at around 11.40am at Ridge Lane, Newnham.

The 62-year-old biker, from Upton Grey, suffered fatal injuries and was pronounced dead at the scene.

He has not yet been named by police, but his family has been informed.

The driver of the tractor, a 25-year-old man, was uninjured.

AWE on BBC

ALDERMASTON: The Atomic Weapons Establishment (AWE) featured in a BBC documentary entitled 'Britain's Nuclear Bomb: The Inside Story', broadcast on BBC Four last night

It was filmed during the summer of 2015 and covered the scientific-endeavours carried out by staff at the Aldermaston site in the 1950s.

Britain was turned into a nuclear superpower because of this project, allowing the testing of the first thermonuclear bomb in 1957.

It is available to watch on the BBC iPlayer.

Cancer warning

BASINGSTOKE: Cancer charity Pelican is urging people not to ignore the symptoms of bowel cancer, such as bleeding from your bottom, weight loss, extreme tiredness and tummy pain.

The Basingstoke-based charity says not to be embarrassed and is asking people to visit their GP for a check-up as soon as possible if they experience these symptoms.

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Club 'could play at Camrose even if plans are submitted'

By Matthew Brown

BASINGSTOKE Town could continue to play at the Camrose if a planning application is submitted to redevelop the site.

This was confirmed by Basingstoke and Deane Borough Council after the club said it was seeking "urgent written clarification" on the matter.

The club says chairman Rafi Razzak intends to sell the Camrose to developers so he can "recover his loans through the redevelopment of the Camrose site".

And after releasing an update requesting an answer from the council, the authority's head of planning and infrastructure, Matthew Evans, said the club could continue to play there before any work started.

He said: "We haven't received a planning application and haven't been approached for any formal planning advice.

"I can confirm that applying for planning permission would not stop any existing approved use from continuing."

The club said that a meeting would be arranged for mid-May "when maximum information is available".

Basingstoke Town's football ground

In their update, the club's interim management group addressed a number of issues including planning, the deadline for the proposed groundshare with Farnborough and possible 'community club' status. It read: "Previous verbal statements from councillors and the planning department had been contradictory.

"If a planning application can be submitted while football is still being played, then there is a possibility of starting 2017/18 at The Camrose."

Mr Razzak, who is stepping down as chairman at the end of the season, has previously said the club has been left with very few options after the plans for a new stadium were turned down by the borough council.

He said: "At numerous meetings since then, they have offered to help, but in reality they have not offered any new sites for us to consider.

"They seem unlikely to allow a retail development at the Camrose, which could help BTFC to build a new stadium within the town."

The statement also revealed that the deadline for agreeing the possible groundshare with Farnborough for next season had been extended until May 5.

It had been due to run out on April 30 but this was extended "in light of the uncertainty about planning 'rules'".

Former player and manager from the 1970s and 1980s Steve Williams is "joining the IMG with the brief to assist on the development of the club into a community club, owned and run by its members in the interests of the community".

His role "will also help seek support from the council for a site to be developed for the club in the town".

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Kitchen fire alert

BASINGSTOKE: Fire crews were called to a kitchen blaze at the Skyline Plaza on Wednesday last week.

Firefighters from Basingstoke, Tadley, Odiham and Kingsclere were all called to the high-rise building in Alencon Link at around 8.20pm but found that the fire was already out.

No one was hurt in the incident.

Manydown views

ROOKSDOWN: Residents are being urged to share their views on the outline planning application for Manydown.

The parish council is holding a meeting to gauge views on the proposals for 3,000 homes on the northern part of the proposed housing estate.

It will be hosted at the community centre on May 10 starting at 7.15pm.

Movie magic

BASINGSTOKE: The film Fantastic Beasts is being shown as part of a movie night at the Viables Community Centre.

The JK Rowling-written tale is being shown this Friday (May 5) starting at 7.15pm. A bar will be available.

Tickets are £4 in advance (call 01256 473634) or £5 on the door.

Villagers 'are very proud of him'

John Welch with the Victoria Cross

From front page

he had served in India for five years.

"He wasn't wet behind the ears when it came to that sort of environment he was in.

"He was probably able to read the situation better than most people and because he'd got experience of life and the military, he was probably able to bluff the Germans slightly more because they were probably wet behind the ears too.

"A lovely man," he reflected.

Iain Pearson, chairman of the parish council, said: "It's a very great honour to have this centenary stone in the village.

"We're very, very proud of him and what he did and the award that he was honoured with.

"We've got a permanent memorial stone.

"People can see it as they come through the village and stop and reflect on the deeds of a very heroic man."

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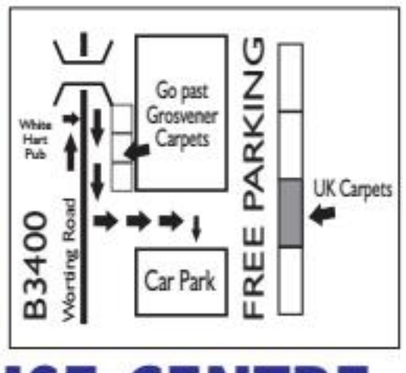

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Two arrested in drugs raids

TWO people have been arrested following a drugs crackdown in Basingstoke.

Class A drugs, cash and drugs paraphernalia were also seized as four warrants were executed in Buckskin, Eastrop and South Ham on April 25.

Akkeem Durowoju, 21, of no fixed abode, has been charged with two counts of possession with intent to supply class A drugs.

He is due to appear before Winchester Crown Court on May 24.

A 34-year-old woman from Basingstoke was arrested on suspicion of being concerned in the supply of cocaine and a class B drug.

The woman remains under investigation having been released from custody.

The crackdown was part of Operation Fortress, a campaign by Hampshire Constabulary to reduce the harm of drug-related violence. One of its aims is to restrict the supply of class A drugs.

"Class A drugs like crack cocaine and heroin do tremendous harm to the people whose lives are blighted by addiction," said inspector Ben Taylor.

"We are determined to identify drug networks that operate in Basingstoke and will continue to disrupt the activities of dealers."

Last year's festival

Chance to snap up tickets for town's free music festival

By Matthew Brown

MUSIC fans can now get their hands on Basingstoke Live tickets.

Thousands are expected at the well-established free music festival on July 8 and 9 in the War Memorial Park.

It will feature Basingstoke Live's first female main stage headliner Paigey Cakey on Saturday, while Dub Pistols are taking centre stage on Sunday.

"Basingstoke Live has been staged in the borough for over a decade and we are delighted it will again feature as part of the Basingstoke Festival programme," said Cllr Simon Bound, member for communities and community safety.

"We are always looking at how we can do things better and provide an event that everyone can enjoy, therefore this year we'll be adding even more family friendly attractions to the free festival.

"We are also asking people to sign up for tickets in advance to help us in our mission to run a safe and enjoyable event for all."

Cakey, a Hackney-based MC, has supported acts including Eve and Lil Kim, Stormzy and Krept & Konan.

The Dub Pistols – a 21st century equivalent of 2-tone acts like The Specials – have worked with the likes of Busta Rhymes, Terry Hall and Rodney P over the last 20 years.

As well as the live music, there is also going to be a get active area – with an opportunity to try different exercise classes – alongside stalls from local organisations.

Cllr Bound said: "I would like to thank the Basingstoke Live Forum for their continued support in organising this event.

"We look forward to announcing more exciting news including the full line-up soon."

Basingstoke Live is the final event in the Basingstoke Festival programme taking place between June 16 and July 9, with this year's theme Born in the Borough celebrating Steventon-born author Jane Austen.

For more information, visit basingstokelive.co.uk.

News Bites

Lottery winners

BASINGSTOKE AND DEANE: St Michael's Hospice has announced the winners of its latest lottery draw from April 28.

First prize of £1,000 goes to ticket 27599 of Newbury, while ticket 67955 of Basingstoke claims second prize of £100.

Third prize of £50 goes to Basingstoke ticket 80379, and Basingstoke ticket 29494 gets fourth prize of £20.

Sixteen prizes of £5 go to tickets 72570, 80759, 02370, 62415, 83430, 51122, 46457, 68144, 60742, 07699, 45779, 64536, 27605, 53467, 54658 and 46653.

Driver's a star

TADLEY: A bus driver has been named 'Star of the month'.

Alan Jones, 42, who lives in the village and works out of Newbury for Reading Buses, won the award after a commuter praised him for showing "exactly what customer service is all about".

Reading Buses said Alan regularly receives high scores during mystery traveller audits.

Family festival

BASINGSTOKE: The Family Festival returns this weekend.

The event, which is being hosted by the rugby club in Pack Lane, features a funfair, falconry, an animal petting farm and punch and judy shows.

Entry to the Rotary Club-organised event is free.

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Jonathan Hobby in action on his bike

Cancer survivor cycling country for charity

By Matthew Brown

A KEEN cyclist who successfully beat cancer is jumping into the saddle to ride from Land's End to John O'Groats.

Jonathan Hobby, a consultant orthopaedic surgeon, will be joined by 13 other riders in the 930-mile mission in aid of the Ark Cancer Charity.

The 51-year-old, who works at Hampshire Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust, was diagnosed only last September but has since returned to work.

"I had been having difficulties with breathing and a scan revealed I had a tumour the size of a melon in my chest," said the father-of-four.

"I become seriously ill and needed emergency surgery.

"I then underwent six months of chemotherapy at Basingstoke Hospital."

Jonathan says although he is "a bit slower than before", he is undaunted by the challenge that lies ahead.

"I like to ride a bike and I like to test myself," he said.

"I have been a keen cyclist for 10 years but I have never done the Land's End to John O'Groats ride before.

"So I thought this would be an interesting and enjoyable challenge."

The peleton of cyclists will be leaving Land's End in Cornwall on May 13 for the nine-day ride up to John O'Groats.

They will receive support on the route from a team of volunteers.

To donate in support, visit tinyurl.com/lugtjln.

LibDem and Tory candidates in the election revealed

BREXIT again featured heavily as both the Conservative Party and Liberal Democrats announced their Basingstoke candidates for the upcoming general election.

Current Conservative MP Maria Miller will be defending her seat on June 8.

Mrs Miller, who was selected at a special meeting of the local Conservative Association, said: "I am standing to be the strong voice Basingstoke needs in Parliament, with experience to get the best for our community.

"Basingstoke is a great place to live and I am dedicated to keeping it that way."

The mother-of-three was first elected as the local MP in 2005 with a 4,680 majority.

"We now need to look to the future and support Theresa May to get the best possible (Brexit) deal for Britain," she added.

Former borough councillor for Brookvale and Kings Furlong, John Shaw, is standing for the Liberal Democrats.

Mr Shaw has also been a county councillor and works in the health sector, having lived in Basingstoke for over 20 years.

He stressed the Lib Dems would invest in local schools, build affordable houses and "bring social care and the NHS together".

"We need more Liberal Democrat MPs across the country to prevent a disastrous hard Brexit that will damage our economy, starve essential services of funding and make us all worse off," he added.

Other parties are yet to name their candidates.

Conservative Maria Miller

LibDem candidate John Shaw

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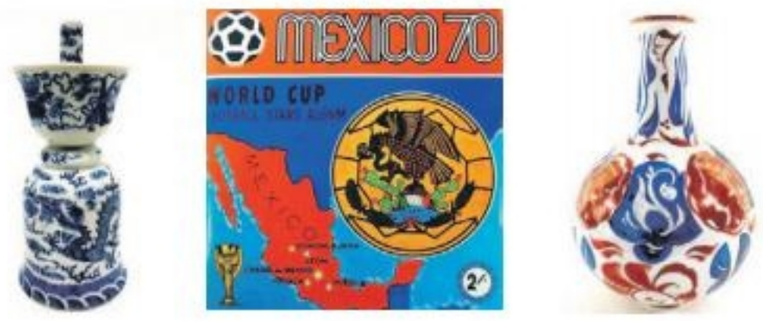

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A six-month trial has begun for specials to deal with medical emergencies, especially in rural areas where help can often take time to arrive.

Things officers could be sent to include patients in cardiac arrest, where every second counts and makes a real difference to survival rates.

In the partnership with South Central Ambulance Service, six officers have been trained to carry out basic lifesaving skills, including the use of oxygen and a defibrillator.

Special constabulary deputy chief officer Russell Morrison said it had given constables the chance "to develop and enhance their emergency first aid capabilities".

He added: "It is something they are extremely passionate about: being able to offer an additional, potential lifesaving service to the communities they help keep safe."

Big-hearted schoolgirl is at her peak for wildlife

By Matthew Brown

AN ADVENTUROUS and animal-loving schoolgirl from Basingstoke is aiming high with an ambitious challenge.

Bracken Henderson is planning to scale Mount Snowdon in Wales – one of the highest peaks in the UK – in aid of an international wildlife charity.

The nine year-old is raising money for the Born Free Foundation, which works to protect endangered and vulnerable animals all over the world.

"I love animals because they are cute and they deserve a better life," said Bracken.

"Last year mummy and I did a 12-mile walk for Born Free and raised £200, so I wanted to do something even bigger this year!"

Bracken, who attends Priory Primary School in Tadley, said her favourite animal is the lioness because "they are strong, fast, beautiful and brave" and that she would like to work for Born Free in the future.

She will be accompanied on her trek up Snowdon in June by mum Louise and grandma Anne Webb.

Louise said: "Bracken has such a big heart and loves all living things. She wants to make a difference for animals.

"She comes up with what challenge she wants to do next and I support her 100 per cent.

"She is very excited for her next challenge and wears her Born Free top on our training walks proudly."

They are hoping to raise £1,000 for the foundation before they set out up the third highest peak in the UK at 1,085m above sea level.

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Bracken on one of her training walks for the mountain challenge

Stunt team star act at Highclere's big show

EUROPE'S number one stunt and riding team will be taking centre stage at the Highclere Country Show.

The Devil's Horseman are performing at the Highclere estate on May 28 and 29.

The show will also feature a dog display team from Essex with their 10 various breeds and handlers showing off their talents.

With the stunning backdrop of Highclere Castle – the setting for ITV's Downton Abbey – there will be falconry displays, a survival camp, food festival, and craft and antiques fairs.

Chris 'The Countryman' Green will demonstrate everything to do with bird nesting, rabbit catching and pigeon shooting and revealing all there is to know about fishing.

Angling enthusiasts should also visit Hywel Morgan's show, which will have demonstrations on fly-fishing.

Visitors can enjoy everything from animal displays to airguns. There will also be have-a-go fun, musical entertainment and demonstrations in every rural craft.

For more information, visit the website: highclerecountryshow.co.uk.

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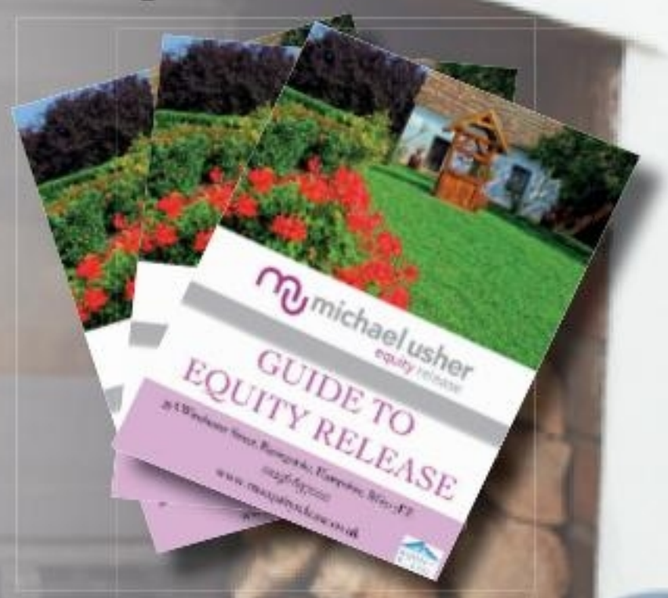

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News Bites

'No queue' tips

BASINGSTOKE: Residents who want face-to-face advice at the borough council offices will no longer have to queue.

A new appointments system featuring tickets has been introduced.

Appointments can be booked on 01256 844 844.

Art and Sole

SHERFIELD: Award winning artist Michael Sole is showcasing his work in an exhibition titled 'Magesticity of Nature' at Sherfield School.

Mr Sole submitted the winning entry to a previous exhibition at the school.

The exhibition will open at 7pm on Friday and then by appointment only until June 16.

Call Lee-Anne Hampson on 01256 884800 to arrange a viewing.

Take the chair

BASINGSTOKE: The Enterprise M3 Local Enterprise Partnership is on the lookout for a new chairman.

Current leader Geoff French CBE is due to step down following six years in the role.

He said: "I have been hugely privileged to be part of a board with tremendous skills and experiences, as well as a collective enthusiasm for the economic progress of our area."

Village's 'pride' at signs that celebrate legendary author

Rebecca Tonkin with one of the new signs

By Matthew Brown

THE home village of one of Britain's most celebrated authors has written itself into literary history.

Steventon has received three 'Birthplace of Jane Austen' signs costing £1,000 to welcome motorists who might previously have been unaware of its historic significance.

"We're delighted with the new signs," said Peter Lees, chairman of Steventon Parish Council.

"The timing could not be better as the village is laying on a range of events to celebrate Jane Austen's 200th anniversary (of her death).

"The signs are a great talking point and we're thrilled our special community has been recognised in this way."

Austen, who was born in 1775, spent the first 25 years of her life in the village – which has a population of just 186 – before moving to Bath.

She penned some of her most famous works in Steventon including Pride and Prejudice, Sense and Sensibility and Northanger Abbey.

The writer's father George was rector of the parish at St Nicholas Church, although the rectory where they lived was demolished in 1824.

Her active social life is said to have inspired many of her novels and she was also known to be a bit of a shopaholic.

To mark the 200th anniversary of her death the borough is hosting a number of celebrations including the unveiling of a bronze, life-size statue of Austen – the world's first.

Leader of the borough council, Clive Sanders said: "We're immensely proud that Jane Austen was born, lived in and was inspired by our borough."

The signs have been put up on the three roads leading into the village. 'Birthplace and home of Jane Austen' signs have also been erected on the borders of the borough.

Women in forces are honoured

BASINGSTOKE women who have served their country are being urged to apply for the Women at War 100 celebrations.

This year marks the centenary of the formal recognition of the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps – the first time women were fully enrolled in the armed forces.

The Royal British Legion is commemorating this milestone on July 7 – exactly a century on – as well as celebrating the contribution of women who have served on operation or in uniform.

Applications for the event at the National Memorial Arboretum in Staffordshire are now open.

Maria Miller MP said: "I am delighted that Women at War 100 will mark the exemplary service women have and continue to give to our armed forces.

"I urge all Basingstoke constituents to apply for this remarkable event."

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WIN goodies!

We have five packs of great stuff available to be won. The prizes include a ball-thrower, a doggie bowl, a themed blanket, a waste-bag dispenser and a dog-treat jar!

Closing date: Friday, May 12

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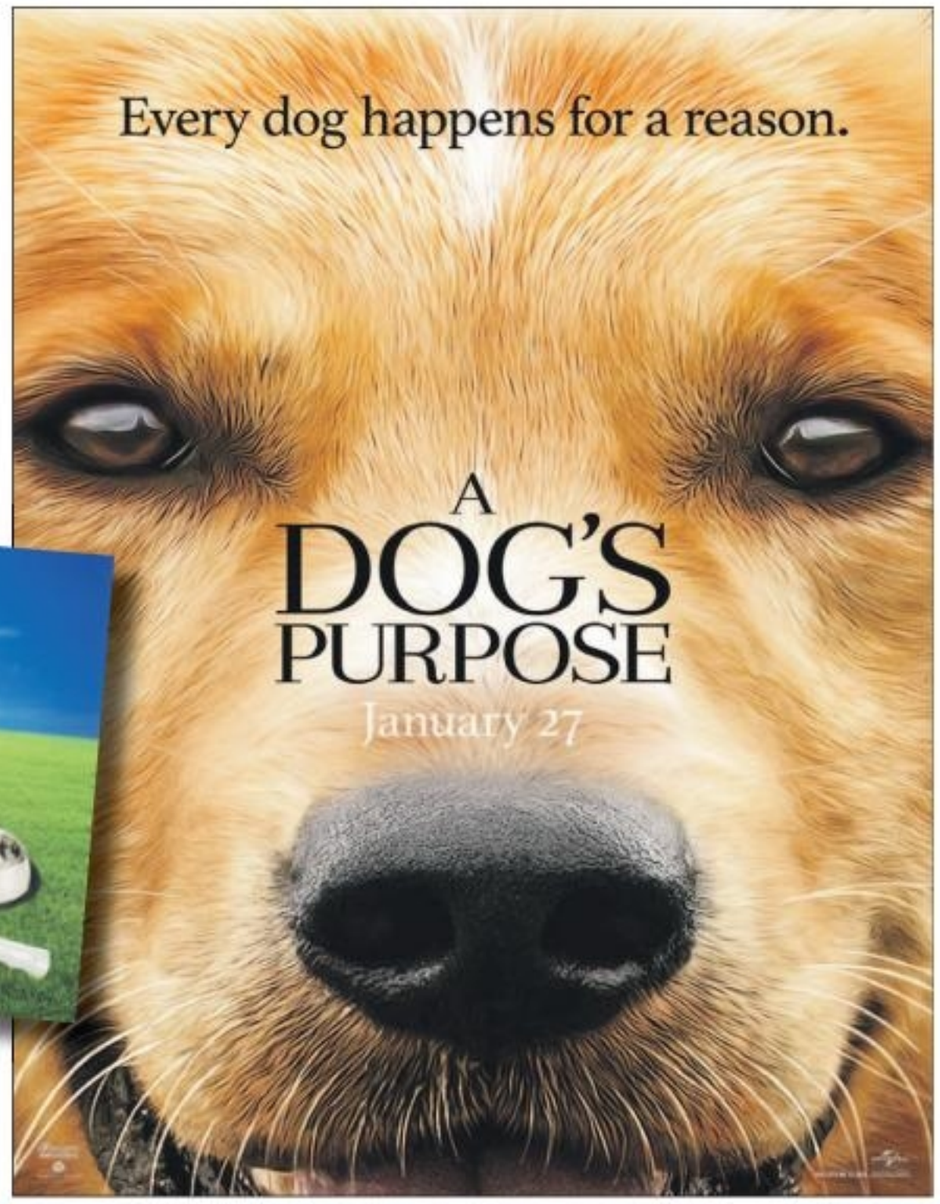
Q: Who wrote the novel A Dog's Purpose?



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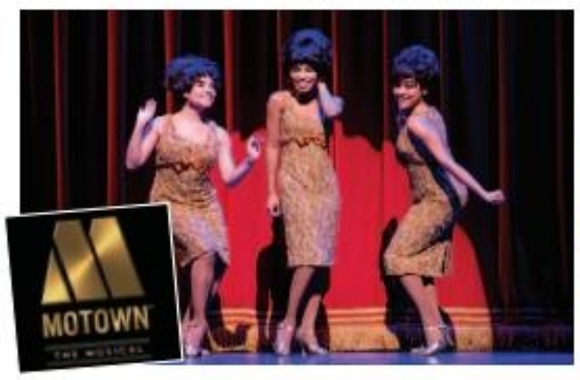

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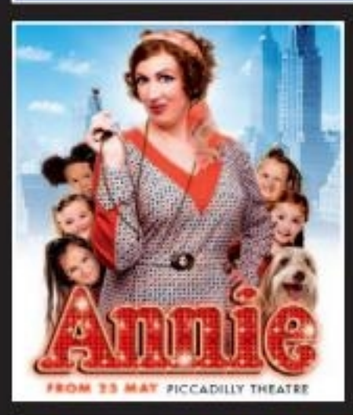

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THE mighty Reading Festival returns on the August Bank Holiday with three incredible headliners in the shape of rap legend Eminem, indie giants Kasabian and British rock heroes Muse.

As always, there is a huge supporting lineup of the best artists from across the current musical spectrum. Among those joining Kasabian on Friday 25th August will be Bastille, Two Door Cinema Club, Fat Boy Slim, You Me at Six, Lethal Bizzle and Billy Talent.

Closing date: Friday, May 19.

Saturday 26th sees Major Lazer, Korn, Flume, Oxford's own Glass Animals, Andy C, While She Sleeps and Black Lips covering all the bases ahead of Eminem's unmissable headline show.

And before Muse take over the main stage on Sunday 27th August, fans can take in the return of the mighty Liam Gallagher, Blossoms, Giggs, Haim, Wiley, Marshmello, The Hunna and Ash across the various stages.

In fact almost 200 acts have been announced so far, with more to come including the BBC Introducing and Alternative stages for the best in comedy and up and coming acts. There really is something for every music fan to make Reading 2017 an unforgettable weekend with your mates.

For the full lineup and to buy tickets visit www.readingfestival.com

Win tickets!

We have a pair of weekend camping tickets up for grabs, and to be in with a chance of winning them, all you have to do is answer the following simple question:

Q: What is the title of Kasabian's forthcoming new album?

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Quick Clues Across

1 Inhaled (8)
4 Kind of powder (4)
8 Catches sight of (6)
10 Trader (6)
11 Swiftness (5)
12 Unfasten (5)
14 Feminine (6)
17 Cast doubt on (9)
18 Complete (3,3,3)
22 Drive away (6)
24 Composition (5)
24 Watchful (5)
26 Yellowish white (6)
27 Satisfies (6)
28 Sprinkle (4)
29 Abridges (8)

Quick Clues Down

1 Raised (4)
2 Make larger (6)
3 Proposition (6)
5 On the water (6)
6 Put in a difficult position (8)
7 Yielded (5)
9 Particularly (9)
10 Guards (9)
13 Moor to dock (3,2)
15 Less (5)
16 Led toward (8)
18 willows (6)
19 Sides for games (5)
20 Stableman (6)
21 Grapple with (6)
25 Employs (4)

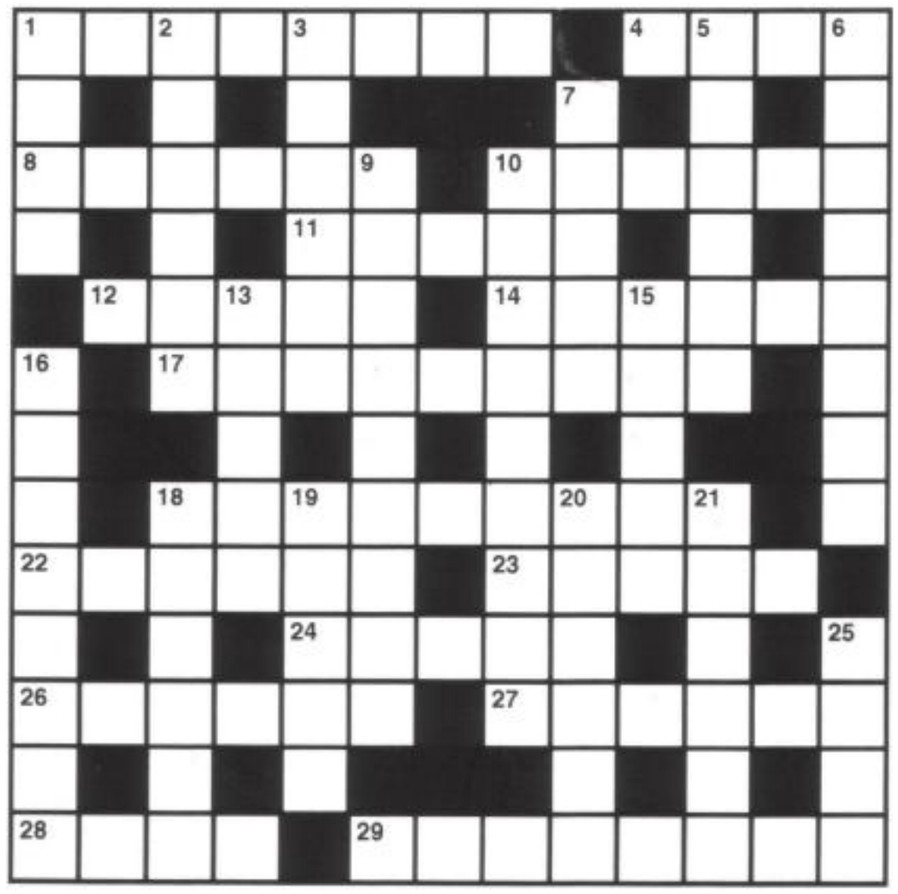
Scribble space

Cryptic Clues Across

1 Like grains from a lunar rag (8)
4 Second-rate Greek (4)
8 Secured with hair? (6)
10 Charge for standing still? (6)
11 Fireside goddess with a broken stick (5)
12 In general, four are bestowed (5)
14 He ought to know all the answers (6)
17 But can he crawl a hundred feet? (9)
18 Effect a safe entry? (5,4)
22 Cups and saucers for Bostonians? (3,3)
23 Truce broken by a vinegar bottle (5)
24 Shattered at being hard-up? (5)
26 The slave of the bowling-alley? (6)
27 Rod set out in reserve (6)
28 A suitable place for knotting ties? (4)
29 A newly floated company could do with this (8)

Cryptic Clues Down

1 Beat up the game with dubs (4)
2 The circle where part is over the nervous reaction (6)
3 One is always so irregular (6)
5 Lead astray about ten out skating? (6)
6 Chemical change to a medieval type of research (8)
7 Such a gaze might produce tears (5)
9 Profession for one interested in drawing, perhaps (9)
10 Check roosters for controlling water (9)
13 Love of the solar system (5)
15 Farewell from a French god? (5)
16 Out of order sets give signs of earlier life (8)
18 This gets all the votes (6)
19 Resist pressure from rare beliefs (5)
20 Attractive victim who swallowed better without beer? (6)
21 A little uranium surrounded by neon - it's enough to make you nervous (6)



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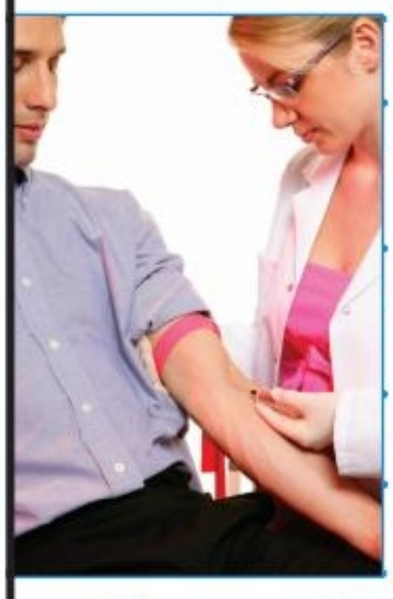

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EASY/MEDIUM/HARD

1		3	5	2				
	7	8		1				6
	4	5					9	2
		6			4		5	
4	1		9		7		8	3
	8		1			2		
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	7	6			1			
	3			5			2	
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This week's solutions

9	3	5	4	6	1	7	8	2
2	6	8	1	5	7	4	9	3
1	7	4	9	3	2	5	6	8
3	5	1	6	4	9	2	7	8
6	4	2	3	7	8	9	5	1
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3	5	4	6	7	2	8	1	9
8	6	1	3	9	5	7	2	4

Quick Crossword

Across: 1 Breathed 4 Talc 8 Espies 10 Dealer 11 Speed 12 Unlie 14 Female 17 Discredit 16 Out and out 22 Dispel 23 Essay 24 Alert 26 Creamy 27 Slakes 28 Dust 29 Shortens

Down: 1 Bred 2 Expand 3 Thesis 5 Afloat 6 Cornered 7 Ceded 9 Specially 10 Defenders 13 Tie up 15 Minus 16 Conduced 18 Osiers 19 Teams 20 Ostler 21 Tackle 25 Uses

Cryptic Crossword

Across: 1 Granular 4 Beta 8 Locked 10 Static 11 Vesta 12 Given 14 Oracle 17 Centipede 18 Burst open 22 Tea set 23 Cruet 24 Broke 26 Galley 27 Stored 28 Site 29 Buoyancy

Down: 1 Golf 2 Arctic 3 Uneven 5 Entice 6 Alchemic 7 Stare 9 Dentistry 10 Stopcocks 13 Venus 15 Adieu 16 Vestiges 18 Ballot 19 Rebel 20 Pretty 21 Neuron 25 Idly

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Friday May 5th

BBC1

DAYTIME

11.00 The Wanted (S) **11.45 Claimed and Shamed** (S) **12.15 Bargain Hunt** (S) **1.00 BBC News at One; Weather** (S) **1.30 BBC Regional News and Weather** (S) **1.45 Doctors** (S) **2.15 The Boss** (S) **3.00 Escape to the Country** (S)(R) **3.45 Garden Rescue** (S) **4.30 Put Your Money Where Your Mouth Is** (S) **5.15 Pointless** (S) **6.00 BBC News at Six; Weather** (S) **6.30 BBC Regional News and Weather** (S)

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7.00 The One Show The final edition of the week. (S)
7.30 A Question of Sport With Claudia Fragapane; (S)(R) BBC News; Regional News (S)

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8.00 EastEnders Kim realises something is wrong with Denise. (S)
8.30 MasterChef The last of the semi-finals. (S)

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9.00 Have I Got News for You (S)
9.30 Hospital People A benevolent local businessman seeks treatment in Brimlington Hospital. (S)

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10.00 BBC News at Ten (S)
10.25 BBC Regional News and Weather; (S) National Lottery Update (S)
10.35 The Graham Norton Show (S)

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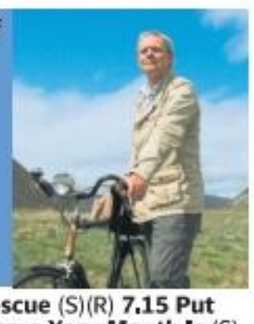
11.25 Witless Last in the series. (S)
11.55 FILM Eurotrip (2004) (15) An Comedy, starring Scott Mechlowicz and Jessica Boehrs. (S)

AFTER 12
1.25 Weather for the Week Ahead (S)
1.30 BBC News (S)

BBC2



6.30 Garden Rescue (S)(R) **7.15 Put Your Money Where Your Mouth Is** (S)(R) **8.00 Sign Zone: The World According to Kids** (S)(R) **9.00 BBC News Special: Election 2017** (S) **1.00 Two Tribes** (S)(R) **1.30 Holiday of My Lifetime with Len Goodman** (S)(R) **2.00 BBC News Special: Election 2017** (S) **4.00 Coast** (S)(R) **4.35 Red Rock** (S)(R) **5.15 Flog It!** (S)(R) **6.00 Celebrity Eggheads** (S) **6.45 Debatable** (S)

7.30 Great British Menu The two remaining London and South East chefs prepare their entire menus. (S)

8.00 Gardeners' World Monty Don gets to work in the cutting garden. (S)
8.30 Grand Tours of Scotland (S)

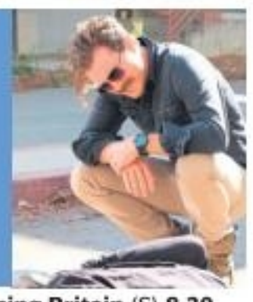
9.00 Versailles Princess Palatine gets a cold reception in the bed of her new husband Philippe; (S) Inside Versailles. (S)

10.00 QI The second of two shows in which Stephen Fry looks back over the M series. Last in the series. (S)(R)
10.30 Newsnight (S)

11.00 Weather (S)
11.05 Later – with Jools Holland In an extended edition, the pianist welcomes Blondie, along with Future Islands. (S)

1.20 Jackpot247 3.00 Storage Hoarders (S)(R) **3.50** ITV Nightscreen

ITV



6.00 Good Morning Britain (S) **8.30 Lorraine** (S) **9.25 The Jeremy Kyle Show** (S) **10.30 This Morning** (S) **12.30 Loose Women** (S) **1.30 ITV Lunchtime News;** Weather (S) **1.55 ITV Regional News;** Weather (S) **2.00 Judge Rinder** (S) **3.00 Culinary Genius** (S) **3.59 ITV Regional Weather** (S) **4.00 Tipping Point** (S) **5.00 Babushka** (S) **6.00 ITV Regional News;** Weather **6.30 ITV Evening News;** Weather (S)

7.00 Emmerdale Dan is feeling uneasy. Laurel offers comfort. Samson and Noah are up to no good. (S)
7.30 Coronation Street (S)

8.00 Judge Rinder's Crime Stories A case in which a couple were scammed by a neighbour. Last in the series. (S)
8.30 Coronation Street (S)

9.00 Lethal Weapon After investigating the murder of a drug dealer, Riggs and Murtaugh find themselves in a turf war between a new generation of dealers and a gang. (S)

10.00 ITV News; Weather (S)
10.30 ITV Regional News; Weather (S)
10.40 FILM American Gangster (2007) (18) Fact-based crime drama, starring Denzel Washington. (S)

1.20 Jackpot247 3.00 Storage Hoarders (S)(R) **3.50** ITV Nightscreen

Channel 4

7.35 Everybody Loves Raymond (S)(R) **9.05 Frasier** (S)(R) **10.05 Car SOS** (S)(R) **11.05 Ramsay's Hotel Hell** (S)(R) **12.00 Channel 4 News** (S) **12.05 The Question Jury** (S)(R) **1.05 Posh Pawnbrokers** (S)(R) **2.10 Countdown** (S) **3.00 Fifteen to One** (S) **4.00 A Place in the Sun: Winter Sun** (S)(R) **5.00 Four in a Bed** (S) **5.30 Extreme Cake Makers** (S) **6.00 The Simpsons** (S)(R) **6.30 Hollyoaks** (S)

7.00 Channel 4 News (S)
7.30 Unreported World Senegal's national obsession with competitive wrestling. Last in the series. (S)

8.00 Posh Pawn High-end pawnbroker James heads to Marbella to appraise a 75ft yacht worth £250,000. (S)

9.00 Gogglebox The armchair critics share their opinions on what they have been watching during the week. (S)

10.00 Britain Today Tonight New series. Comedy set in the fictional Channel 9Nine News Network. (S)
10.30 Britain Today Tonight (S)

11.05 8 Out of 10 Cats Does Countdown Jimmy Carr hosts the words-and-numbers quiz. (S)(R)

12.10 FILM Cuban Fury (2014) (15) Comedy, starring Nick Frost. (S) **1.50** Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA (S)(R) **2.40** National Treasure (S)(R) **3.35** Location, Location, Location (S)(R) **4.30** Building the Dream (S) **5.20** Fifteen to One (S)(R)

Channel 5

6.00 Milkshake! 9.15 The Wright Stuff 11.15 GPs: Behind Closed Doors (S)(R) **12.10 5 News Lunchtime** (S) **12.15 The Nightmare Neighbour Next Door** (S)(R) **1.15 Home and Away** (S) **1.45 Neighbours** (S) **2.15 NCIS** (S)(R) **3.15 FILM Undercover Bridesmaid (2012) (PG)** (S) **5.00 5 News at 5** (S) **5.30 Neighbours** (S)(R) **6.00 Home and Away** (S)(R) **6.30 5 News Tonight** (S)

7.00 Cricket on 5 England v Ireland. Highlights of the opening contest in the two-match series; (S) 5 News Update (S)

8.00 The Final Mystery of Stonehenge; (S) 5 News Update (S)

9.00 Spectacular Spain with Alex Polizzi The presenter explores Galicia, a lush, mountainous region in the north-west. Last in the series. (S)

10.00 FILM It's Complicated (2009) (15) Romantic comedy, with Meryl Streep, Alec Baldwin and Steve Martin. (S)

12.15 SuperCasino 3.10 FILM Sniper (1993) (15) Action thriller, with Billy Zane. (S) **4.45** House Doctor (S)(R) **5.10** Great Scientists (S)(R) **5.35** Wildlife SOS (S)(R)

DIGITAL

ITV2 SKY: 118 FV: 6

6.00 The Hot Desk: Jonas Blue **6.10** You've Been Framed! Gold **6.35** Below Deck **7.20** The Ellen DeGeneres Show **8.00** Emmerdale **9.00** You've Been Framed! Gold **9.35** Psych **10.25** Below Deck **11.20** Who's Doing the Dishes? **12.25** Emmerdale **1.30** You've Been Framed! Gold **2.00** The Ellen DeGeneres Show **2.50** The Jeremy Kyle Show **5.00** Judge Rinder **6.00** You've Been Framed! Gold Unleashed! **7.00** You've Been Framed! XXL **8.00** Two and a Half Men **9.00** FILM: Delivery Man (2013) (12) **11.10** Family Guy **12.30** American Dad! **1.25** Release the Hounds: Famous & Freaked **2.25** Teleshopping **5.55** ITV2 Nightscreen

ITV3 SKY: 119 FV: 10

6.00 In Loving Memory **6.25** Heartbeat **7.25** Where the Heart Is **8.30** The Royal **9.30** Judge Judy **10.55** Road to Avonlea **11.55** The Adventures of Sherlock Holmes **1.05** Heartbeat **2.10** Wild at Heart **3.10** Where the Heart Is **4.15** Tales from Northumberland with Robson Green **4.50** Love Your Garden **5.55** Heartbeat **7.00** Murder, She Wrote **8.00** Doc Martin **9.00** The Street **10.20** Law & Order: UK **11.20** Wire in the Blood **12.25** The Adventures of Sherlock Holmes **1.30** The Knock **2.20** Charles: The Destiny of a Prince **3.10** Long Lost Family **4.00** Million Dollar Princesses **4.50** In Loving Memory **5.45** ITV3 Nightscreen

BBC4 SKY: 116 FV: 9

7.00 World News Today; Weather **7.30** Top of the Pops: 1983 **8.00** The Good Old Days **8.55** Sounds of the Seventies **9.00** Singer-Songwriters at the BBC **10.00** Classic Albums: Carly Simon No Secrets **11.00** Sings James Bond **12.00** Top of the Pops: 1983 **12.35** Singer-Songwriters at the BBC **1.35** Classic Albums: Carly Simon No Secrets **2.35** Sings James Bond **3.35** Close

E4 SKY: 136 FV: 28

6.00 Hollyoaks **6.30** Coach Trip: Road to Marbs **6.55** Baby Daddy **7.55** Rules of Engagement **8.55** Melissa & Joey **10.00** Baby Daddy **11.00** How I Met Your Mother **12.00** New Girl **1.00** Brooklyn Nine-Nine **2.00** The Big Bang Theory **3.00** How I Met Your Mother **4.00** Brooklyn Nine-Nine **5.00** New Girl **6.00** The Big Bang Theory **7.00** Hollyoaks **7.30** Brooklyn Nine-Nine **8.00** The Big Bang Theory **9.00** FILM: Safe House (2012) (15) **11.15** The Big Bang Theory **12.15** Tattoo Fixers **2.20** E4's Tattoo Artist of the Year **3.15** Rude Tube **4.05** Rules of Engagement **4.50** Melissa & Joey **5.10** Charmed

MORE4 SKY: 138 FV: 14

8.55 A Place in the Sun: Winter Sun **11.00** Four in a Bed **1.40** A Place in the Sun: Winter Sun **3.45** Time Team **5.55** Vet on the Hill **6.55** The Secret Life of the Zoo **7.55** Grand Designs **9.00** Spin **10.00** 24 Hours in A&E **12.05** Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA **1.05** 8 Out of 10 Cats Does Countdown **2.05** 24 Hours in A&E **3.10** 8 Out of 10 Cats **3.50** Close

FILM4 SKY: 315 FV: 15

11.00 The Lady from Shanghai (1947) (PG) **12.45** 40 Guns to Apache Pass (1967) (PG) **2.40** Holiday Inn (1941) (U) **4.35** The Violent Men (1955) (PG) **6.30** A League of Their Own (1992) (PG) **9.00** Bridesmaids (2011) (15) **11.25** Warm Bodies (2013) (12) **1.20** The Evil Dead (1982) (18) **3.10** Close

DAVE SKY: 111 FV: 12

6.00 Home Shopping **7.00** Scrapheap Challenge **8.10** American Pickers **9.00** Storage Hunters **10.00** American Pickers **12.00** Lizard Lick Towing **1.00** Top Gear **3.00** Jay Leno's Garage **4.00** Steve Austin's Broken Skull Challenge **5.00** Top Gear **6.00** Top Gear USA Special **7.00** Top Gear **8.00** Ronnie's Redneck Road Trip **9.00** FILM: Kill Bill: Vol 1 (2003) (18) **11.15** Red Dwarf **12.30** Ronnie's Redneck Road Trip **1.35** Dave Gorman: Modern Life Is Goodish **2.35** Lizard Lick Towing **4.00** Home Shopping

DRAMA SKY: 158 FV: 20

7.10 The Bill **8.00** Pie in the Sky **9.00** Bergerac **10.00** All Creatures Great and Small **11.00** The Bill **1.00** Last of the Summer Wine **1.40** Waiting for God **2.20** Birds of a Feather **3.00** Boon **4.00** Bergerac **5.00** All Creatures Great and Small **6.00** Waiting for God **6.40** Last of the Summer Wine **7.20** Keeping Up Appearances **8.00** New Tricks **9.00** Life on Mars **10.00** New Tricks **11.20** Birds of a Feather **12.00** The Bill **1.00** Pie in the Sky **2.00** Upstairs Downstairs **2.55** Boon **4.00** Home Shopping

SKY1 SKY: 106

6.00 Hawaii Five-0 **8.00** Monkey Life **9.00** It's Me or the Dog **10.00** Nothing to Declare **11.00** Forever **12.00** NCIS: Los Angeles **1.00** Hawaii Five-0 **3.00** NCIS: Los Angeles **4.00** Haven **5.00** Modern Family **6.00** Futurama **6.30** The Simpsons **8.30** Modern Family **9.00** Jamestown **10.30** Micky Flanagan Thinking Aloud **11.30** The Blacklist: Redemption **12.30** A League of Their Own **1.30** Road Wars **2.00** Revolution **3.00** Arrow **4.00** Got to Dance **5.00** Road Wars

SKY ATLANTIC SKY: 108

6.00 The British **8.00** Networks of Power with Sir Christopher Meyer **9.00** The West Wing **10.00** David Attenborough's Galapagos **11.00** Cold Case **12.00** House **1.00** Blue Bloods **2.00** Urban Secrets **3.00** The West Wing **5.00** Cold Case **6.00** House **7.00** Blue Bloods **9.00** Beware The Slenderman **11.15** Dexter **12.25** Deadwood **2.55** The Borgias **4.00** Fish Town

W SKY: 109

6.10 Countryside 999 **7.00** My Dream Home **8.00** The Hotel Inspector **9.00** Traffic Cops **10.00** The Bill **11.00** Tipping Point **1.00** Hairy Bikers' Best of British **2.00** MasterChef USA **3.00** The Hotel Inspector **4.00** Criminal Minds: Beyond Borders **6.00** Tipping Point **7.00** My Dream Home **8.00** Supernanny US **9.00** One Born Every Minute **10.00** EastEnders **10.40** FILM: GoodFellas (1990) (18) **1.35** MasterChef Australia **2.25** Bondi Rescue **3.00** Home Shopping

GOLD SKY: 110

7.00 The Green Green Grass **7.30** Sorry! **8.05** As Time Goes By **8.45** Whatever Happened to the Likely Lads? **9.20** Last of the Summer Wine **11.20** One Foot in the Grave **12.40** My Family **1.20** The Green Green Grass **2.00** Sorry! **2.40** Whatever Happened to the Likely Lads? **3.20** As Time Goes By **4.00** Last of the Summer Wine **5.20** My Family **6.10** One Foot in the Grave **7.35** Only Fools and Horses **9.00** The Royle Family **9.40** Bottom **11.00** Spaced **12.10** The League of Gentlemen **12.50** Shooting Stars **1.30** Human Remains **2.10** The Armando Iannucci Shows **2.40** Gimme Gimme Gimme **3.15** The League of Gentlemen **4.00** Home Shopping

SKY SPORTS 1 SKY: 401

1.00 Football Gold **2.00** Premier League Legends **3.00** Spanish Football Gold **3.30** Football Gold **4.00** Football's Greatest Players **5.00** Sky Sports Boxing Gold **5.30** Premier League Preview **6.00** The Fantasy Football Club **7.00** Live Friday Night Football **10.30** Carling In Off the Bar **11.00** The Fantasy Football Club **12.00** Premier League Preview **12.30** Friday Night Football **1.00** Premier League Preview **1.30** Friday Night Football **2.00** Premier League Preview **2.30** Friday Night Football **3.00** Premier League Preview

Saturday May 6th

DAYTIME

BBC1

11.30 Mary Berry's Absolute Favourites 12.00 Football Focus (S) **1.00 BBC News;** Weather (S) **1.15 Usain Bolt: The Final Chapter** (S) **1.45 Athletics: Diamond League Qatar Highlights** (S) **2.45 Bargain Hunt** (S)(R) **3.45 Escape to the Country** (S)(R) **4.30 Final Score** (S) **5.30 Who Dares Wins** (S) **6.10 BBC News** (S) **6.20 BBC Regional News; Weather** (S) **6.30 Pointless Celebrities** (S)

7 **7.20 Doctor Who** Bill moves into a strange house with her friends. (S)

8 **8.05 Casualty** Louise is shocked to discover the identity of Jez's secret lover. (S)

9 **9.00 Michael McIntyre: Happy & Glorious** The comedian once again takes aim at some of the absurdities of everyday life, in a stand-up performance recorded at the O2. (S)

10 **10.00 BBC News; Weather;** (S) National Lottery Update (S)
10.20 Match of the Day Gary Lineker presents highlights of the latest Premier League matches. (S)

11 **11.40 Murder in Successville** DI Sleet enlists the aid of Lorraine Kelly to hunt a radioactive monster. (S)

AFTER **12** **12.10 FILM Flatliners (1990) (15)** Supernatural thriller, starring Kiefer Sutherland. (S) **2.00** Weather for the Week Ahead (S) **2.05** BBC News (S)

BBC2

8.20 Talking Pictures: Musicals (S)(R) **9.05 FILM Silk Stockings (1957) (U)** (S) **11.00 Monty Halls' Great Hebridean Escape** (S)(R) **12.00 Great British Menu** (S)(R) **1.30 FILM 4 for Texas (1963) (PG)** (S) **3.20 Trust Me, I'm A Vet** (S)(R) **4.20 Flog It!** (S)(R) **4.55 Gardeners' World** (S)(R) **5.25 Springwatch in Japan: Cherry Blossom Time** (S)(R) **6.25 Japan's Northern Wilderness** (S)

7.20 Trump on Culture: Brave New World? The potential cultural impact of Donald Trump's plans to scrap federal funding for the arts in the US. (S)

8.00 Grand Tours of Scotland The rise of the seaside as a popular tourist destination. Last in the series. (S)
8.30 Dad's Army (S)(R)

9.00 FILM Nightcrawler (2014) (15) Premiere. Crime drama, starring Jake Gyllenhaal and Rene Russo. (S)

10.50 QI XL With Jimmy Carr, Aisling Bea and Danny Bhoy. (S)

11.35 Versailles Princess Palatine gets a cold reception in the bed of her new husband Philippe; (S)(R) **Inside Versailles.** (S)(R)

12.35 FILM The Big Kahuna (1999) (15) Drama, starring Kevin Spacey. (S) **2.00** This Is BBC Two (S)

ITV

8.30 Weekend (S) **9.25 ITV Racing: The Opening Show** (S) **10.20 Judge Rinder** (S)(R) **11.20 Tipping Point** (S)(R) **12.20 ITV News;** Weather (S) **12.25 Bigheads** (S)(R) **1.30 ITV Racing: Live from Newmarket** (S) **4.00 Paul O'Grady: For the Love of Dogs** (S)(R) **4.30 Catchphrase** (S)(R) **5.15 Britain's Got More Talent** (S) **6.15 ITV Regional News;** Weather (S) **6.25 ITV News** (S) **6.45 Take Me Out** (S)

8.00 Britain's Got Talent More would-be stars demonstrate their unique talents to the judges, as the fourth round of auditions begins. (S)

9.15 The Keith and Paddy Picture Show New series. (S)
9.45 FILM The 40 Year-Old Virgin (2005) (15) Comedy, starring Steve Carell and Catherine Keener. (S)

10.45 ITV News; Weather (S)

11.05 FILM The 40 Year-Old Virgin (2005) (15) Continued. (S)

12.15 Jackpot247 3.00 Who's Doing the Dishes? (S)(R) **3.50 ITV** Nightscreen

Channel 4

7.10 The King of Queens (S)(R) **7.35 Everybody Loves Raymond** (S)(R) **8.25 Frasier** (S)(R) **9.25 The Big Bang Theory** (S)(R) **10.25 The Simpsons** (S)(R) **12.00 Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA** (S)(R) **12.55 Come Dine with Me** (S)(R) **3.35 A Place in the Sun: Summer Sun** (S)(R) **4.35 Big House, Little House** (S) **5.35 Location, Location, Location** (S)(R) **6.30 Channel 4 News** (S)

7.00 The Restoration Man George Clarke revisits Dave and Margaret Hedley. (S)

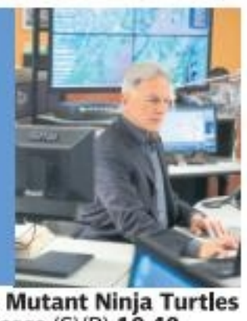
8.00 Walking Through Time Palaeobiologist Dr Tori Herridge and Professor Adrian Lister visit Shropshire. (S)(R)

9.00 FILM The Fault in Our Stars (2014) (12) Premiere. . Romantic drama, starring Shailene Woodley and Ansel Elgort. (S)

11.35 FILM Ghost (1990) (12) Romantic fantasy, starring Demi Moore and Patrick Swayze. (S)

1.45 The 80s: Ten Years That Changed Britain (S)(R) **3.05 Hollyoaks** (S)(R) **5.05** Jamie's Comfort Food (S)(R) **5.20** Location, Location, Location (S)(R)

Channel 5



10.00 Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles (S)(R) **10.35 Access** (S)(R) **10.40 Caught on Camera** (S)(R) **11.00 Polic Interceptors** (S)(R) **12.00 On Benefits The Bargain Queen** (S)(R) **1.00 On Benefits: Breadline Brummies** (S)(R) **2.00 On Benefits: Cash-Strapped Couples** (S)(R) **3.00 The Nightmare Neighbour Next Door** (S)(R) **5.00 Can't Pay? We'll Take It Away** (S)(R) **6.55 5 News Weekend** (S)

7.00 NCIS: Los Angeles A former marine is suspected of creating a chemical bomb. (S)
7.45 NCIS A US Navy Public Affairs Officer is killed. (S)

8.45 FILM Robin Hood: Prince of Thieves (1991) (PG) Action adventure, with Kevin Costner, Alan Rickman and Morgan Freeman. (S)

11.45 Football on 5: Goal Rush The final fixtures of the regular season in League Two. (S)

12.15 SuperCasino 3.10 FILM Beyond a Reasonable Doubt (2009) (12) Crime thriller remake, starring Michael Douglas. (S) **4.50** House Doctor (S)(R) **5.15** Wildlife SOS (S)(R) **5.40** Angels of Jarm (S)(R) **5.50** Roary the Racing Car (S)(R)

DIGITAL

ITV2 SKY: 118 FV: 6

6.00 Fleur East: The Hot Desk **6.10** Emmerdale **8.35** Coronation Street **11.05** Britain's Got Talent **12.25** Britain's Got More Talent **1.25** Take Me Out **2.40** Take Me Out – The Gossip **3.40** You've Been Framed! Gold **4.10** FILM: Nanny McPhee and the Big Bang (2010) (U) Fantasy comedy, starring Emma Thompson. **5.10** FYI Daily **5.15** FILM: Nanny McPhee and the Big Bang (2010) (U) Concluded. **6.25** FILM: Paul Blart: Mall Cop (2009) (PG) Comedy, starring Kevin James. **7.25** FYI Daily **7.30** FILM: Paul Blart: Mall Cop (2009) (PG) Concluded. **8.15** Scorpion **9.15** Britain's Got More Talent **10.20** Celebrity Juice **11.20** Family Guy **12.50** FILM: Delivery Man (2013) (12) Comedy drama remake, starring Vince Vaughn. **1.55** FYI Daily **2.00** FILM: Delivery Man (2013) (12) **2.45** The Vamps: The Hot Desk **2.55** Teleshopping **5.55** ITV2 Nightscreen

ITV3 SKY: 119 FV: 10

6.00 Murder, She Wrote **8.45** FILM: Forever Young (1992) (PG) Romantic sci-fi drama, with Mel Gibson and Jamie Lee Curtis. **9.45** FYI Daily **9.50** FILM: Forever Young (1992) (PG) Concluded. **10.50** Goodbye Mr Chips **12.50** Wycliffe **1.55** Lewis **5.55** Rosemary & Thyme **7.00** Midsomer Murders **9.00** Foyle's War **11.00** Law & Order: UK **2.00** ITV3 Nightscreen **2.30** Teleshopping

BBC4 SKY: 116 FV: 9

7.00 Dan Cruickshank: At Home with the British **8.00** The BBC at War **9.00** Hinterland **10.30** Top of the Pops: 1983 **11.45** Genesis: Together & Apart **1.20** TOTP2: Genesis **2.05** Prog at the BBC **3.05** Sounds of the Eighties **3.30** Close

E4 SKY: 136 FV: 28

6.00 Rude(ish) Tube **6.25** The Goldbergs **7.35** Made in Chelsea **8.35** Melissa & Joey **11.00** The Goldbergs **12.30** FILM: Astro Boy (2009) (PG) Animated sci-fi adventure, with the voice of Freddie Highmore. **2.15** FILM: The Net (1995) (12) Thriller, starring Sandra Bullock. **4.30** The Big Bang Theory **9.00** FILM: Hanna (2011) (12) Action thriller, starring Saoirse Ronan. **11.10** Gogglebox **1.20** Rude Tube **2.25** Tattoo Fixers **3.20** Marvel's Agents of SHIELD **4.05** How I Met Your Mother **4.45** Black-ish **5.05** Charmed

MORE4 SKY: 138 FV: 14

8.55 Come Dine with Me **11.35** Location, Location, Location **12.35** Coast vs Country **1.40** Four in a Bed **4.20** Come Dine with Me **6.55** Nazi Megastructures **8.00** Hitler: The Rise and Fall **9.00** What Destroyed the Hindenburg? **10.00** The World's Most Extreme **11.05** 8 Out of 10 Cats Does Countdown **12.10** Father Ted **1.15** Nazi Megastructures **2.20** Hitler: The Rise and Fall **3.20** 8 Out of 10 Cats **4.00** Close

FILM4 SKY: 315 FV: 15

11.00 The Rugrats Movie (1999) (U) Animated comedy, with the voice of Elizabeth Daily. **1.00** Dr Seuss' The Lorax (2012) (U) Animated fantasy, with the voice of Danny DeVito. **2.40** Short Circuit (1986) (PG) Sci-fi comedy adventure, starring Steve Guttenberg. **4.40** A Thousand Words (2012) (12) Comedy, starring Eddie Murphy. **6.35** Mrs Doubtfire (1993) (12) Comedy, with Robin Williams. **9.00** Aliens (1986) (18) Sci-fi thriller sequel, starring Sigourney Weaver. **12.05** The Woman in Black: Angel of Death (2014) (15) Horror sequel, starring Helen McCrory and Jeremy Irvine. **2.00** American Mary (2012) (18) Thriller, starring Katharine Isabelle. **4.00** Close

DAVE SKY: 111 FV: 12

6.00 Home Shopping **7.10** Lizard Lick Towing **7.35** Traffic Cops **8.00** Top Gear USA Special **9.00** Dara O Briain's Go 8 Bit **10.00** Top Gear **12.00** Traffic Cops **1.00** Sin City Motors **3.00** FILM: Kelly's Heroes (1970) (PG) Second World War adventure, starring Clint Eastwood. **6.00** Top Gear **7.00** Red Dwarf **9.00** FILM: Demolition Man (1993) (15) Sci-fi thriller, starring Sylvester Stallone. **11.15** Live at the Apollo **12.10** QI XL **2.10** Red Dwarf **3.20** Room 101 **4.00** Home Shopping

DRAMA SKY: 158 FV: 20

7.10 Secret Army **11.00** Sharpe **1.00** Secret Army **5.00** Open All Hours **7.00** Hetty Wainthropp Investigates **8.00** Miss Fisher's Murder Mysteries **9.00** Taggart **11.00** Waking the Dead **1.00** Hetty Wainthropp Investigates **2.00** Sharpe **4.00** Home Shopping

SKY1 SKY: 106

6.00 Ashley Banjo's Big Town Dance **7.45** Duck Quacks Don't Echo **8.15** Game Changers **8.45** The Fantasy Football Club **9.45** Soccer AM **11.30** Live Premier League. Build-up to Manchester City v Crystal Palace. **12.30** Wild Things **1.30** Modern Family **3.00** Gillette Soccer Saturday **5.15** Supergirl **6.10** The Flash **7.05** MacGyver **8.00** Inside the Freemasons **9.00** Micky Flanagan Thinking Aloud **10.00** Jamestown **11.30** NCIS: Los Angeles **12.30** A League of Their Own **1.30** Arrow **3.30** DC's Legends of Tomorrow **4.30** Stop, Search, Seize **5.30** Ninja Warrior

SKY ATLANTIC SKY: 108

6.00 Networks of Power with Sir Christopher Meyer **9.00** The West Wing **2.00** Cold Case **4.00** House **6.00** Regarding Susan Sontag **8.00** Blue Bloods **9.00** Game of Thrones **10.00** FILM: Going Clear: Scientology and the Prison of Belief (2015) (15) Documentary exploring the history and actions of the Church of Scientology's leaders. **12.15** Real Time with Bill Maher **1.25** The Circus: Inside the Greatest Politica Show on Earth **2.00** The Borgias **3.05** Girls **4.15** Fish Town **5.10** Networks of Power with Sir Christopher Meyer

W SKY: 109

6.00 Countryside 999 **7.00** Extreme Makeover: Home Edition **9.00** The Bill **1.00** EastEnders **3.30** Tom Kerridge's Best Ever Dishes **4.00** FILM: Ella Enchantec (2004) (PG) Fantasy adventure, starring Anne Hathaway. **6.00** My Family **8.00** John Bishop: In Conversation with Jason Manford **9.00** FILM: Get Smar (2008) (12) Spy comedy, starring Steve Carell. **11.15** Grimm **12.15** Inside the Ambulance **1.15** Code Black **3.00** Home Shopping

GOLD SKY: 110

7.00 TBA **7.25** The Two Ronnies **9.00** Only Fools and Horses **11.00** Last of the Summer Wine **1.00** Only Fools and Horses **9.00** Mrs Brown's Boys **11.00** Black Books **12.05** Dylan Moran: Aim Low **1.45** Human Remains **2.20** The Thick of It **2.50** Nighty Night **4.00** Home Shopping

SKY SPORTS 1 SKY: 401

6.00 Football Gold **6.45** Premier League Legends **7.15** Game Changers **7.45** Premier League Legends **8.15** Premier League Preview **8.45** The Fantasy Football Clu **9.45** Soccer AM **11.30** Live Premier League. Build-up t Manchester City v Crystal Palace. **12.30** Live Premier League. Manchester City v Crystal Palace (kick-off 12.30pm). **3.00** Gillette Soccer Saturday **5.15** Live EFI A match from the final day of the regular season in League Two (kick-off 5.30pm). **8.00** Premier League 100 Club **8.30** Nissan Game of the Day **10.30** Nissan Match Choice **11.30** Premier League 100 Club **12.00** Premier League Highlights

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Sunday May 7th

BBC1

Antiques Roadshow, 7pm

10.00 The Big Questions (S) **11.00 Sunday Politics** (S) **12.15 Bargain Hunt** (S)(R) **1.00 BBC News;** Weather (S) **1.15 Homes Under the Hammer** (S)(R) **2.15 Money for Nothing** (S)(R) **3.00 Escape to the Country** (S)(R) **4.00 Points of View** (S) **4.15 Songs of Praise** (S) **4.50 Pointless Celebrities** (S)(R) **5.35 BBC News** (S) **5.50 BBC Regional News; Weather** (S) **6.00 Countryfile** (S)

DAYTIME

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7.00 Antiques Roadshow Fiona Bruce presents the show from Ightham Mote, a medieval manor near Sevenoaks. (S)

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8.00 Babs Biopic of Barbara Windsor, following her life between 1943 and 1993, including her evacuation in the Second World War. (S)

9

9.30 Mrs Brown's Boys Maria goes into labour. (S)(R)

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10.00 BBC News (S)
10.20 BBC Regional News; Weather (S)
10.30 Match of the Day 2 Mark Chapman reviews the latest Premier League action. (S)

11

11.40 The Women's Football Show A look at the biggest issues in the women's game. (S)

AFTER 12

12.15 Weather for the Week Ahead (S) **12.20** BBC News (S)

BBC2

Great British Menu, 11.15pm

7.00 The Instant Gardener (S)(R) **7.45 Gardeners' World** (S)(R) **8.15 The Beechgrove Garden** (S) **8.45 Countryfile** (S)(R) **9.45 Saturday Kitchen Best Bites** (S) **11.15 Great British Menu** (S)(R) **12.15 MOTD2 Extra** (S) **1.00 Natural World** (S)(R) **2.00 Equestrian: Badminton Horse Trials** (S) **4.00 Rowing World Cup** (S) **5.30 Flog It!** (S)(R) **5.55 FILM The Terminal (2004) (12)** (S)

8.00 Mexico: Earth's Festival of Life New series. The first of three programmes about the country's wildlife, landscape and culture. (S)

9.00 Dara and Ed's Road to Mandalay New series. Dara O Briain and Ed Byrne explore South East Asia, travelling more than 3,000 miles from Malaysia to Myanmar. (S)

10.00 FILM Kajaki (2014) (15) Premiere. Fact-based thriller, starring David Elliot. (S)

11.40 FILM The Reluctant Fundamentalist (2012) (15) Drama, starring Riz Ahmed and Liev Schreiber. (S)

1.40 Sign Zone: Question Time (S)(R) **2.40** Holby City (S)(R) **3.40** This Is BBC Two (S)

ITV

The Durrells, 8pm

6.00 CITV 8.25 ITV News (S) **8.30 Weekend** (S) **9.25 Countrywise** (S)(R) **10.00 Peston on Sunday** (S) **11.00 Judge Rinder** (S)(R) **12.00 ITV News;** Weather (S) **12.10 Britain's Got Talent** (S)(R) **1.30 ITV Racing: Live from Newmarket** (S) **4.05 FILM Diamonds Are Forever (1971) (PG)** James Bond spy adventure, starring Sean Connery. (S) **6.35 ITV Regional News;** Weather (S) **6.40 ITV News** (S)

7.00 Bigheads Jason Manford hosts the game show in which contestants face physical challenges while wearing giant model heads. (S)

8.00 The Durrells Louisa struggles to adapt to Larry moving out, and learns some shocking truths. (S)

9.00 Grantchester The village is rocked by a series of robberies. Leonard witnesses the first raid and is able to identify one of the criminals – only for the man in question to turn up dead. (S)

10.00 ITV News; Weather (S)
10.20 Peston on Sunday Political magazine, presented by Robert Peston. Allegra Stratton presents a guide to the latest issues on social media. (S)(R)

11.20 Premiership Rugby Union Highlights of the final round of top-flight fixtures. (S)

12.15 Lethal Weapon (S)(R) **1.05** Jackpot247 **3.00** Motorsport UK (S) **3.50** British Superbike Championship Highlights (S) **4.40** ITV Nightscreen **5.05** The Jeremy Kyle Show (S)(R)

Channel 4

Escape to Costa Rica, 7pm

6.15 The King of Queens (S)(R) **7.30 Everybody Loves Raymond** (S)(R) **8.30 Frasier** (S)(R) **9.30 Sunday Brunch** (S) **12.30 Eat the Week** (S) **1.30 The Simpsons** (S)(R) **2.30 FILM Ghostbusters II (1989) (PG)** Supernatural comedy sequel, starring Bill Murray. (S) **4.40 World's Most Expensive Cars** (S) **5.40 George Clarke's Old House, New Home** (S)(R) **6.35 Channel 4 News** (S)

7.00 Escape to Costa Rica Gaia Vince visits the exclusion zone of an active volcano. (S)

8.00 FILM Captain America: The First Avenger (2011) (12) Superhero adventure, starring Chris Evans and Hugo Weaving. (S)

10.25 FILM Prometheus (2012) (15) A spacecraft travels to another world in search of aliens that may have created the human race. Ridley Scott's sci-fi thriller, with Noomi Rapace. (S)

12.45 Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA (S)(R) **1.35** Millionaires' Mansions: Designing Britain's Most Exclusive Homes (S)(R) **2.25** The Break Up (S)(R) **3.15** KOTV Boxing Weekly (S) **3.40** Gillette World Sport (S) **4.10** Mobil 1 The Grid (S)(R)

Channel 5

When Magic Goes Wrong, 9pm

6.00 Milkshake! 9.55 Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles (S)(R) **10.30 Football on 5: Goal Rush** (S)(R) **10.55 Caught on Camera** (S)(R) **11.25 Police Interceptors** (S)(R) **1.20 FILM Cats & Dogs (2001) (PG)** (S) **3.00 Puppies Make You Laugh Out Loud** (S)(R) **4.00 Cats Make You Laugh Out Loud 3** (S)(R) **5.00 FILM Journey 2: The Mysterious Island (2012) (PG)** (S)

7.00 Cricket on 5 England v Ireland. Highlights of the second contes in the two-match series, which took place at Lord's. (S)

8.00 Football on 5: The Championship Action from the final round of regular-season fixtures. (S)
8.55 5 News Weekend (S)

9.00 When Magic Goes Wrong Illusions that went spectacularly badly, including stories of magicians' brushes with death, as well as mishaps involving Dynamo and Paul Daniels. (S)(R

10.00 Comedy Gold: TV's Funniest Ever Sketches Compilation of classic comedy sketches from TV's most popular stars. (S)

11.25 Football on 5: The Play-offs Action from the League One play-off semi-finals. (S)

12.05 FILM Bangkok Dangerous (2008) (18) (S) **1.45** SuperCasino **3.10** Top 20 Funniest (S) **4.00** Criminals: Caught on Camera (S)(R) **4.50** House Doctor (S)(R) **5.15** Wildlife SOS (S)(R) **5.40** Angels of Jarm (S)(R) **5.50** Roary the Racing Car (S)(R)

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ITV2 SKY: 118 FV: 6

6.00 Totally Bonkers Guinness World Records **6.25** Emmerdale **8.50** Coronation Street **11.20** Take Me Out **12.40** FILM: Mr Magorium's Wonder Emporium (2007) (U) Fantasy comedy, starring Dustin Hoffman and Natalie Portman. **1.40** FYI Daily **1.45** FILM: Mr Magorium's Wonder Emporium (2007) (U) Concluded. **2.30** FILM: Miss Congeniality 2: Armed and Fabulous (2005) (12) Comedy sequel, starring Sandra Bullock. **3.30** FYI Daily **3.35** FILM: Miss Congeniality 2: Armed and Fabulous (2005) (12) Concluded. **4.45** Britain's Got Talent **6.00** Britain's Got More Talent **7.05** FILM: Evan Almighty (2007) (PG) Comedy sequel, starring Steve Carell. **8.05** FYI Daily **8.10** FILM: Evan Almighty (2007) (PG) Concluded. **9.00** Take Me Out – The Gossip **10.00** Family Guy **11.30** American Dad! **12.25** The Cleveland Show **1.25** The Vampire Diaries **2.15** Jonas Blue: The Hot Desk **2.25** Teleshopping **5.55** ITV2 Nightscreen

ITV3 SKY: 119 FV: 10

6.00 Goodbye Mr Chips **7.50** Heartbeat **9.55** Murder, She Wrote **12.00** FILM: Columbo: Suitable for Framing (1971) (PG) Detective drama, starring Peter Falk. **1.40** A Touch of Frost **3.45** Foyle's War **5.55** Midsomer Murders **8.00** Royal Stories **9.00** Cameraman to the Queen **10.00** Law & Order: UK **12.05** Wire in the Blood **2.05** Lewis **3.45** May the Best House Win **5.30** ITV3 Nightscreen

BBC4 SKY: 116 FV: 9

7.00 The Birth of British Music **8.00** The Secret Life of the Motorway **9.00** Betroffenheit from Sadler's Wells **10.50** Seven Ages of Starlight **12.20** The Story of Maths **1.20** The BBC at War **2.20** Britain's Nuclear Secrets: Inside Sellafield **3.20** Close

E4 SKY: 136 FV: 28

6.00 Couples Come Dine with Me **6.55** Hollyoaks **9.25** Made in Chelsea **10.30** The Goldbergs **12.00** Black-ish **12.30** Baby Daddy **1.00** Kevin Can Wait **1.30** Brooklyn Nine-Nine **2.00** New Girl **2.30** Rude(ish) Tube Shorts **2.40** The Big Bang Theory **4.40** FILM: The Spy Next Door (2010) (PG) Comedy, starring Jackie Chan. **6.30** The Big Bang Theory **9.00** Marvel's Agents of SHIELD **10.00** Tattoo Fixers **12.05** Rude Tube: Love Bytes **1.10** First Dates **2.15** E4's Tattoo Artist of the Year **3.05** Marvel's Agents of SHIELD **3.50** Hollyoaks

MORE4 SKY: 138 FV: 14

8.55 Coast vs Country **9.55** Selling Houses with Amanda Lamb **11.00** Grand Designs New Zealand **12.05** Come Dine with Me **2.40** Four in a Bed **5.25** Come Dine with Me **8.00** Make My Body Better with Davina McCall **9.00** Father Ted **10.05** Sarah Millican: Thoroughly Modern Millican Live **11.10** 8 Out of 10 Cats Does Countdown **12.15** A Very British Brothel **1.15** Make My Body Better with Davina McCall **2.20** Man Down **3.20** 8 Out of 10 Cats **4.00** Close

FILM4 SKY: 315 FV: 15

11.00 12 Angry Men (1957) (U) Legal drama, starring Henry Fonda. **1.00** Gulliver's Travels (2010) (PG) Fantasy comedy, starring Jack Black. **2.35** Rugrats Go Wild (2003) (U) Children's animated adventure, with the voice of Nancy Cartwright. **4.10** The Chronicles of Narnia: The Voyage of the Dawn Treader (2010) (PG) Fantasy adventure, with Georgie Henley and Skandar Keynes. **6.20** The Karate Kid (2010) (PG) Martial arts drama, with Jaden Smith and Jackie Chan. **9.00** A Million Ways to Die in the West (2014) (15) Western spoof, directed by and starring Seth MacFarlane. **11.15** Magic Mike (2012) (15) Comedy drama, starring Channing Tatum. **1.30** The Runaways (2010) (15) Biopic of the 1970s rock band, starring Kristen Stewart and Dakota Fanning. **3.45** Close

DAVE SKY: 111 FV: 12

6.00 Home Shopping **7.10** Traffic Cops **9.00** Top Gear **10.00** Steve Austin's Broken Skull Challenge **11.00** Traffic Cops **1.00** Lizard Lick Towing **2.00** Deadly 60 **4.00** Top Gear **7.00** Motorway Cops **8.00** Traffic Cops **9.00** Live at the Apollo **10.00** Taskmaster **11.00** Crackanory **11.40** Room 101 **1.00** QI XL **2.00** Taskmaster **2.50** QI XL **4.00** Home Shopping

DRAMA SKY: 158 FV: 20

7.05 Steptoe and Son **8.00** The Bill **11.00** Bleak House **3.40** Catherine Cookson's A Dinner of Herbs **6.40** Call the Midwife **8.00** The Red Tent **9.00** Silent Witness **11.20** Spooks **1.45** Call the Midwife **3.00** The Red Tent **4.00** Home Shopping

SKY1 SKY: 106

6.00 Hour of Power **7.00** Monkey Business **8.00** Futurama **9.30** Supergirl **10.30** The Flash **11.30** WWE Raw Hits **12.30** Live Nissan Super Sunday. The build-up to Liverpool v Southampton. **1.30** Futurama **2.30** Modern Family **6.30** The Simpsons **8.00** Wild Things **9.00** Hawaii Five-0 **10.00** NCIS: Los Angeles **11.00** Matt Damon Touchscreen **12.00** MacGyver **1.00** Arrow **2.00** Legends **3.00** DC's Legends of Tomorrow **4.00** Stop, Search, Seize **5.00** Ninja Warrior

SKY ATLANTIC SKY: 108

6.00 Networks of Power with Sir Christopher Meyer **8.00** The West Wing **1.00** House **3.00** Blue Bloods **9.00** Real Time with Bill Maher **10.10** Veep **10.45** The Trip to Spain **11.20** Billions **12.30** Guerrilla **1.30** Westworld **2.40** The Borgias **3.40** Girls **4.10** Networks of Power with Sir Christopher Meyer

W SKY: 109

6.10 Countryside 999 **7.00** Beverly Hills Pawn **7.30** My Dream Home **8.30** Celebrity MasterChef **1.10** FILM: Free Willy (1993) (PG) Family drama, starring Jason James Richter. **3.20** FILM: Spy Kids 3-D: Game Over (2003) (U) Adventure sequel, starring Daryl Sabara. **5.00** Outnumbered **7.00** One Born Every Minute **8.00** Dr Christian Will See You Now **9.00** John Bishop: In Conversation with Jason Manford **10.00** Doctor Foster **11.20** Louis Theroux: America's Most Dangerous Pets **12.20** Outnumbered **1.00** Code Black **3.00** Home Shopping

GOLD SKY: 110

7.00 Butterflies **7.40** One Foot in the Grave **9.05** Only Fools and Horses **9.00** Mrs Brown's Boys **11.00** I'm Alan Partridge **12.20** The Thick of It **1.00** The League of Gentlemen **1.40** Human Remains **2.15** Bill Hicks – One Night Stand **2.55** Nighty Night **4.00** Home Shopping

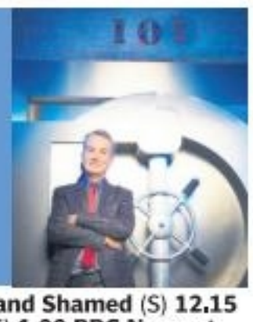
SKY SPORTS 1 SKY: 401

6.00 Premier League 100 Club **6.30** Premier League Highlights **9.00** The Sunday Supplement **10.30** Goals on Sunday **12.30** Live Nissan Super Sunday. The build-up to Liverpool v Southampton. **1.30** Live Nissan Super Sunday. Liverpool v Southampton (kick-off 1.30pm). **3.30** Live Nissan Super Sunday. Arsenal v Manchester United (kick-off 4.00pm). **6.15** Live EFL. Coverage of a League One play-off semi-final second-leg match (kick-off 6.30pm). **9.00** Fight Night **11.00** Goals on Sunday **12.00** Premier League 100 Club **1.00** Premier League Highlights **2.00** Goals on Sunday **3.00** Premier League 100 Club **4.00** Premier League Highlights **5.00** Football's Greatest Teams **5.30** Football's Greatest Players

Monday May 8th

DAYTIME

BBC1



Room 101, 8.30pm

11.45 Claimed and Shamed (S) **12.15 Bargain Hunt** (S) **1.00 BBC News at One; Weather** (S) **1.30 BBC Regional News and Weather** (S) **1.45 Doctors** (S) **2.15 The Boss** (S) **3.00 Escape to the Country** (S) **3.45 Garden Rescue** (S)(R) **4.30 Put Your Money Where Your Mouth Is** (S) **5.15 Pointless** (S) **6.00 BBC News at Six; Weather** (S) **6.30 BBC Regional News** (S) **6.55 Party Election Broadcast** (S)(R)

7

7.00 The One Show (S)
7.30 What Facebook Knows About You – Panorama Current affairs report; (S) BBC News; Regional News (S)

8

8.00 EastEnders (S)
8.30 Room 101 Frank Skinner presents highlights and unseen material from the recent series. Last in the series. (S)

9

9.00 MasterChef: The Finals The final week gets under way, as the remaining five contestants cook at Winfield House. (S)

10

10.00 BBC News at Ten (S)
10.30 BBC Regional News and Weather (S)
10.45 Match of the Day Chelsea v Middlesbrough. (S)

11

11.15 Have I Got a Bit More News for You Alexander Armstrong guest hosts. (S)

AFTER 12

12.00 The Graham Norton Show (S)(R) **12.00** Granada/YTV The Super League Show (S) **12.45** Weather for the Week Ahead (S) **12.50** BBC News (S)

BBC2

Nature's Weirdest Events, 8pm

7.15 Put Your Money Where Your Mouth Is 8.00 Sign Zone: Antiques Roadshow 9.00 Victoria Derbyshire (S) **11.00 BBC Newsroom Live** (S) **12.00 Daily Politics** (S) **1.00 Athletics: Diamond League Qatar Highlights** (S)(R) **2.00 Natural World** (S)(R) **2.50 Who Do You Think You Are?** (S)(R) **3.50 Red Rock** (S)(R) **5.15 Antiques Road Trip** (S)(R) **6.00 Celebrity Eggheads** (S) **6.45 Debatable** (S)

7

7.30 Great British Menu The South West chefs prepare starters. (S)

8

8.00 Nature's Weirdest Events A mysterious mass die-off of saiga antelope in Kazakhstan. Last in the series. (S)

9

9.00 Amazing Hotels: Life Beyond the Lobby Giles Coren and Monica Galetti travel more than 120 miles north of the Arctic Circle into Swedish Lapland. Last in the series. (S)

10

10.00 Mock the Week With Ed Byrne, Rob Beckett, Sara Pascoe, Romesh Ranganathan and Ed Gamble. (S)(R)
10.30 Newsnight (S)

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11.10 Weather (S)
11.15 Second Chance Summer: Tuscany (S)(R)

AFTER 12

12.15 Sign Zone: MasterChef (S)(R) **12.45** Countryfile (S)(R) **1.40** Amazing Hotels: Life Beyond the Lobby (S)(R) **2.40** This Is BBC Two (S)

ITV

Emmerdale, 7pm

9.25 The Jeremy Kyle Show (S) **10.30 This Morning** (S) **12.30 Loose Women** (S) **1.30 ITV Lunchtime News;** Weather (S) **1.55 ITV Regional News;** Weather (S) **2.00 Dickinson's Real Deal** (S)(R) **3.00 Culinary Genius** (S) **3.59 ITV Regional Weather** (S) **4.00 Tipping Point** (S) **5.00 Babushka** (S) **6.00 ITV Regional News;** Weather (S) **6.25 Party Election Broadcast** (S) **6.30 ITV Evening News;** Weather (S)

7

7.00 Emmerdale Josh and Jamie run rampant with knives in the village. (S)
7.30 Coronation Street Sally is concerned for her sister. (S)

8

8.00 Tonight – The Leader Interviews: Tim Farron Julie Etchingham talks to the Liberal Democrats leader. (S)
8.30 Coronation Street (S)

9

9.00 Little Boy Blue When potential witness Claire Olssen is intimidated into changing her statement, the investigation team look for alternative ways to reinforce their case. (S)

10

10.00 ITV News; Weather (S)
10.40 ITV Regional News; Weather (S)
10.50 Don't Ask Me Ask Britain Alexander Armstrong hosts the interactive game show. (S)(R)

11

11.55 Joanna Lumley's Postcards The actress recalls her journey across Russia. (S)(R)

AFTER 12

12.20 Teleshopping 2.50 The Jeremy Kyle Show (S)(R) **3.45** ITV Nightscreen **5.05** The Jeremy Kyle Show (S)(R)

Channel 4

Trump, The Doctor & the Vaccine Scandal: Channel 4 Dispatches, 8pm

7.35 Everybody Loves Raymond (S)(R) **9.05 Frasier** (S)(R) **10.05 Car SOS** (S)(R) **11.05 Ramsay's Hotel Hell** (S)(R) **12.00 Channel 4 News** (S) **12.05 The Question Jury** (S)(R) **1.05 Posh Pawnbrokers** (S)(R) **2.10 Countdown** (S) **3.00 Fifteen to One** (S) **4.00 A Place in the Sun: Winter Sun** (S)(R) **5.00 Four in a Bed** (S) **5.30 Extreme Cake Makers** (S) **6.00 The Simpsons** (S)(R) **6.30 Hollyoaks** (S)

7

7.00 Channel 4 News (S)
7.55 Party Election Broadcast Political broadcast. (S)

8

8.00 Trump, The Doctor & the Vaccine Scandal: Channel 4 Dispatches (S)
8.30 Food Unwrapped New series. (S)

9

9.00 The Island with Bear Grylls The islanders face mother nature at her most violent and brutal, with a hurricane brewing 100 miles to the north. (S)

10

10.00 Loaded New series. Comedy drama about friendship, ambition and gluttony. (S)
10.55 Gogglebox Capturing the households' reactions to what they are watching on TV. (S)(R)

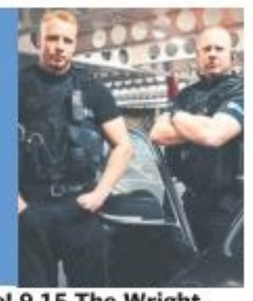
11

11.55 Obsessive Compulsive Cleaners Grimebusters Sandra and Carly travel to the United States. (S)(R)

AFTER 12

12.55 Never Seen a Doctor (S)(R) **1.50** Building the Dream (S) **2.45** Shipping Wars UK (S)(R) **3.15 FILM The Speaking Hand: Zakir Hussain and the Art of the Indian Drum (2003)** (S) **5.05** Fifteen to One (S)(R)

Channel 5



Police Interceptors, 8pm

6.00 Milkshake! 9.15 The Wright Stuff 11.15 GPs: Behind Closed Doors (S)(R) **12.10 5 News Lunchtime** (S) **12.15 Can't Pay? We'll Take It Away** (S)(R) **1.15 Home and Away** (S) **1.45 Neighbours** (S) **2.15 NCIS** (S)(R) **3.15 FILM Dark Secrets (2011) (PG)** (S) **5.00 5 News at 5** (S) **5.30 Neighbours** (S)(R) **6.00 Home and Away** (S)(R) **6.30 5 News Tonight** (S) **6.55 Party Election Broadcast** (S)

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7.00 MotoGP Highlights The Spanish Grand Prix; (S) 5 News Update (S)

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8.00 Police Interceptors Dog handle Bob hunts down a suspected knifeman; (S) 5 News Update (S

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9.00 Inside the Gang: Young Blood New series. A unique look into the heart of British gang culture, and the drugs, criminal activity and violence which have become part of their lives. (S)

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10.00 Mind the Age Gap New series. Twelve volunteers from two generations try to bridge the gap by moving in together. (S)

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11.05 FILM Parker (2013) (15) Action thriller, with Jason Statham and Jennifer Lopez. (S)

AFTER 12

1.15 SuperCasino 3.10 Top 20 Funniest (S) **4.00** Get Your Tatts Out: Kavos Ink (S)(R) **4.45** House Doctor (S)(R) **5.10** HouseBusters (S)(R) **5.35** Wildlife SOS (S)(R)

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ITV2 SKY: 118 FV: 6

6.00 Ella Eyre: The Hot Desk **6.10** Totally Bonkers Guinness World Records **6.35** Below Deck **7.20** The Ellen DeGeneres Show **8.00** Emmerdale **8.30** Coronation Street **9.35** Scorpion **10.25** Below Deck **11.20** Who's Doing the Dishes? **12.25** Emmerdale **12.55** Coronation Street **2.00** The Ellen DeGeneres Show **2.50** The Jeremy Kyle Show **5.00** Judge Rinder **6.00** You've Been Framed! Gold **7.00** You've Been Framed! Gold and Famous **8.00** Two and a Half Men **9.00** Family Guy **9.30** The Great Indoors **10.00** American Dad! **10.55** Family Guy **11.25** The Cleveland Show **12.25** American Dad! **12.55** Two and a Half Men

ITV3 SKY: 119 FV: 10

6.00 In Loving Memory **6.25** Heartbeat **7.25** Where the Heart Is **8.25** Wild at Heart **9.30** Judge Judy **10.55** Road to Avonlea **11.55** The Adventures of Sherlock Holmes **1.05** Heartbeat **2.10** Where the Heart Is **3.10** Wild at Heart **4.15** The Cruise Ship **4.50** Love Your Garden **5.55** Heartbeat **7.00** Murder, She Wrote **8.00** Doc Martin **9.00** Rosemary & Thyme **10.00** Law & Order: UK **11.00** The Street **12.20** The Adventures of Sherlock Holmes **1.25** The Knock

BBC4 SKY: 116 FV: 9

7.00 100 Days+; Weather **7.30** Handmade on the Silk Road **8.00** Mud, Sweat and Tractors: The Story of Agriculture **9.00** Barcelona: An Art Lovers' Guide **10.00** The Incredible Story of Marie Antoinette's Watch with Nicholas Parsons **11.00** Michael Palin's Quest for Artemisia **12.00** Harlots, Housewives & Heroines: A 17th Century History for Girls **1.00** Botany: A Blooming History **2.00** The Secret Life of the Motorway **3.00** Barcelona: An Art Lovers' Guide **4.00** Close

E4 SKY: 136 FV: 28

6.00 Hollyoaks **6.30** Coach Trip: Road to Marbs **6.55** Baby Daddy **7.55** Rules of Engagement **8.55** Melissa & Joey **10.00** Baby Daddy **11.00** How I Met Your Mother **12.00** New Girl **1.00** Brooklyn Nine-Nine **2.00** The Big Bang Theory **3.00** How I Met Your Mother **4.00** Brooklyn Nine-Nine **5.00** New Girl **6.00** The Big Bang Theory **7.00** Hollyoaks **7.30** Baby Daddy **8.00** The Big Bang Theory **9.00** Made in Chelsea **10.00** Empire **11.00** The Big Bang Theory **12.00** Tattoo Fixers **1.05** Gogglebox **2.10** Made in Chelsea **3.05** Empire **3.50** New Girl **4.10** Rules of Engagement **4.50** Melissa & Joey **5.15** Charmed

MORE4 SKY: 138 FV: 14

8.55 A Place in the Sun: Winter Sun **11.00** Four in a Bed **1.35** A Place in the Sun: Winter Sun **3.45** Time Team **5.50** Vet on the Hill **6.55** The Secret Life of Four-Year-Olds **7.55** Grand Designs **9.00** Hidden Britain by Drone **10.00** 24 Hours in A&E **11.05** 999: What's Your Emergency? **12.05** Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA **1.05** 24 Hours in A&E **2.10** 999: What's Your Emergency? **3.10** 8 Out of 10 Cats **3.55** Close

FILM4 SKY: 315 FV: 15

11.00 It Came from Beneath the Sea (1954) (U) **12.45** Ice Cold in Alex (1958) (PG) **3.20** The Flight of the Phoenix (1965) (PG) **6.20** Master and Commander: The Far Side of the World (2003) (12) **9.00** Unknown (2011) (12) **11.15** Our Idiot Brother (2011) (15) **1.00** Nostalgia (1983) (15) **3.40** Close

DAVE SKY: 111 FV: 12

6.00 Home Shopping **7.00** Scrapheap Challenge **7.50** Home Shopping **8.10** Top Gear **9.00** Storage Hunters **9.30** Storage Hunters UK **10.00** American Pickers **12.00** Lizard Lick Towing **1.00** Top Gear **3.00** Jay Leno's Garage **4.00** Steve Austin's Broken Skull Challenge **5.00** The Best of Top Gear **6.00** Top Gear **8.00** Have I Got a Bit More News for You **9.00** Top Gear Bolivia Special **10.40** Would I Lie to You? – The Unseen Bits **11.20** Mock the Week **12.00** Dara O Briain's Go 8 Bit **1.00** Steve Austin's Broken Skull Challenge

DRAMA SKY: 158 FV: 20

7.10 The Agatha Christie Hour **8.00** Pie in the Sky **9.00** Bergerac **10.00** All Creatures Great and Small **11.00** The Bill **1.00** Last of the Summer Wine **1.40** Waiting for God **2.20** Birds of a Feather **3.00** Boon **4.00** Bergerac **5.00** All Creatures Great and Small **6.00** Waiting for God **6.40** Last of the Summer Wine **7.20** Keeping Up Appearances **8.00** Inspector Alleyn Mysteries **10.00** New Tricks **11.20** Birds of a Feather **12.00** The Bill **1.00** Pie in the Sky **2.00** Upstairs Downstairs **3.05** Boon **4.00** Home Shopping

SKY1 SKY: 106

6.00 Hawaii Five-0 **8.00** Monkey Life **9.00** It's Me or the Dog **10.00** Nothing to Declare **11.00** Forever **12.00** NCIS: Los Angeles **1.00** Hawaii Five-0 **3.00** NCIS: Los Angeles **4.00** Haven **5.00** Modern Family **6.00** Futurama **6.30** The Simpsons **8.00** Inside the Freemasons **9.00** Micky Flanagan Thinking Aloud **10.00** A League of Their Own US Road Trip **11.00** Duck Quacks Don't Echo **12.00** The Five **2.00** Legends

SKY ATLANTIC SKY: 108

11.00 Cold Case **12.00** House **1.00** Blue Bloods **2.00** Urban Secrets **3.00** The West Wing **5.00** Cold Case **6.00** House **7.00** Blue Bloods **8.00** David Attenborough's Galapagos **9.00** Game of Thrones **10.00** Silicon Valley **10.35** Last Week Tonight with Joh Oliver **11.10** Real Time with Bill Maher **12.20** Bright Lights: Starring Carrie Fisher and Debbie Reynolds

W SKY: 109

11.00 Tipping Point **1.00** Hairy Bikers' Best of British **2.00** MasterChef USA **3.00** The Hotel Inspector **4.00** Criminal Minds: Beyond Borders **6.00** Tipping Point **7.00** My Dream Home **8.00** Supernanny US **9.00** Cocaine Capital of the World: Stacey Dooley Investigate **10.00** EastEnders **10.40** Dr Christian Will See You Nov **11.40** Russell Howard's Good News **12.20** MasterChe Australia **1.20** Code Black **3.00** Home Shopping

GOLD SKY: 110

7.00 Butterflies **7.30** Ever Decreasing Circles **8.00** Sorry! **8.40** As Time Goes By **9.20** Whatever Happened to the Likely Lads? **10.00** Butterflies **10.40** Only Fools and Horses **12.40** My Family **1.20** Ever Decreasing Circles **2.00** Sorry! **2.40** Whatever Happened to the Likely Lads? **3.20** As Time Goes By **4.00** Last of the Summer Wine **6.00** My Family **6.40** Open All Hours **8.00** Boomers **9.20** The Royle Family **10.00** Live at the Apollo **11.00** Peep Show **11.35** Gimme Gimme Gimme **12.15** The Royle Family **12.55** Getting On

SKY SPORTS 1 SKY: 401

6.00 Good Morning Sports Fans **9.00** Premier League Highlights **10.00** Premier League Daily **11.00** Premier League Highlights **12.00** Premier League Legends **1.0** Premier League Highlights **2.00** Premier League Legends **3.00** One2Eleven: Steve Lomas **3.15** One2Eleven: Iain Dowie **3.30** One2Eleven: Christian Panucci **3.45** One2Eleven: Willy Sagnol **4.00** Football's Greatest Players **5.00** One2Eleven: Hector Bellerin **5.1** One2Eleven: Bojan **5.30** Football's Greatest Players **6.30** Soccer AM: The Best Bits **7.00** Live Monday Night Football. **11.00** Scottish Football Round-Up **11.15** Spanish Football Gold **11.30** Revista De La Liga **12.0** Monday Night Football: Pre-Match **1.00** Monday Night Football **1.30** Scottish Football Round-Up

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Rocky road for cycling legends

By Josh Cox

VENTOUX is the most fearsome mountain encountered on the Tour de France; it is also the story of cyclists Lance Armstong and Marco Pantani.

Named after the most challenging mountain stage of the world's greatest cycle race, Ventoux centres on the race of 2000, where Pantani and Armstrong went head to head. Both already champions in their own right, and both secretly using performance-enhancing drugs, their careers would soon spiral in polar opposite directions.

The gripping battle of the two was once regarded as the greatest race in the history of cycling. Both doping during their careers, Armstrong went on to win seven consecutive Tour de France titles; Pantani died of a cocaine overdose alone in a hotel room.

Using breath-taking video accompaniment, a pair of road bikes and actual race commentary, Ventoux explores rivalry, rule-breaking and the extraordinary lengths that humans will go to in order to succeed.

2Magpies Theatre have a reputation for new and exciting performances in site-responsive locations. The company has toured nationally and internationally and are stopping in Basingstoke this month on their 2017 tour.

Cycling fans will learn much about the pair of fallacious "champions"; but equally, if you're not a cycling fan, you're set to learn much about flaws of human beings when success is on the horizon.

The show begins at 7.30pm on May 10. Tickets for Ventoux are priced at £12. Concessions, under 16s and student tickets are £10, which includes £2 booking fee. For more information or for tickets, call the Anvil Arts box office on 01256 844244, or visit the website: anvilarts.org.uk.

Live jive and roll

MUSIC: Shane & The Korrados will be bringing jive and rock 'n' roll to Wellington Social Club in Basingstoke on Saturday, May 6.

Joining the band will be DJ Stompin' Steve on the decks.

Tickets are £10 on the door. The gig starts at 7pm.

A thriller of a night

MUSIC: An evening of fun is expected from the smooth as a criminal Michael Jackson tribute act at The Academy in Basingstoke on Saturday, May 6.

Back by popular demand, the top Michael Jackson tribute act will be performing the King of Pop's greatest hits with amazing dance moves.

Non-member tickets are £12 and the night starts at 7pm.

A good old laugh!

COMEDY: Join the Phoenix Comedy Club for May's awesome line up on Thursday, May 4.

The club showcases some of the best upcoming talent in the UK. Headlining on Thursday is Hari Sriskantha, featuring Steve Williams and Tania Edwards, with Dan Evans as Compere.

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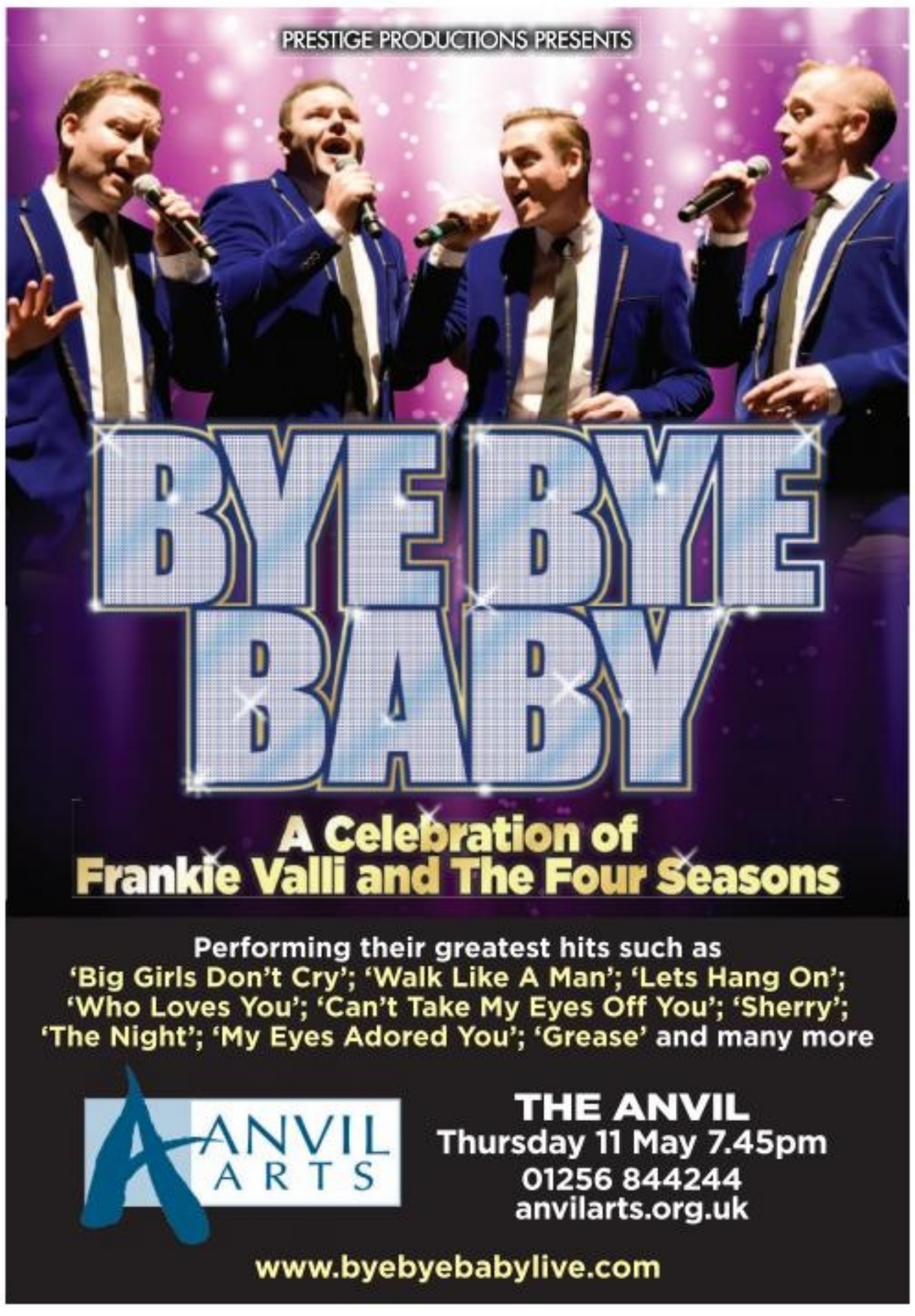
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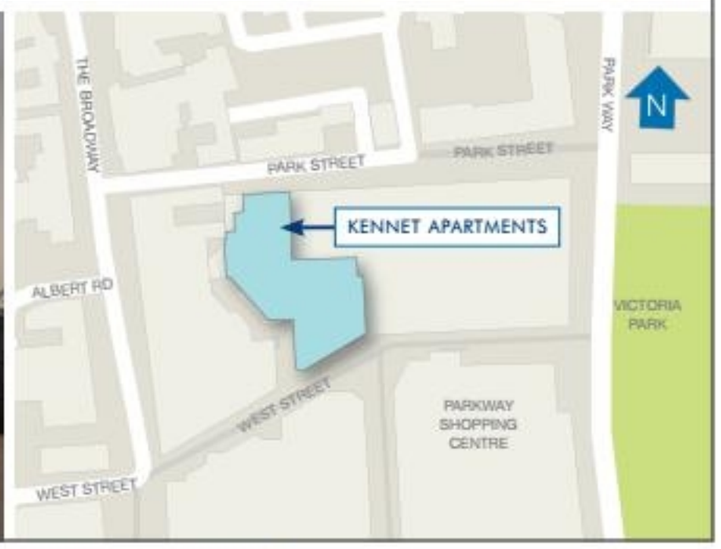

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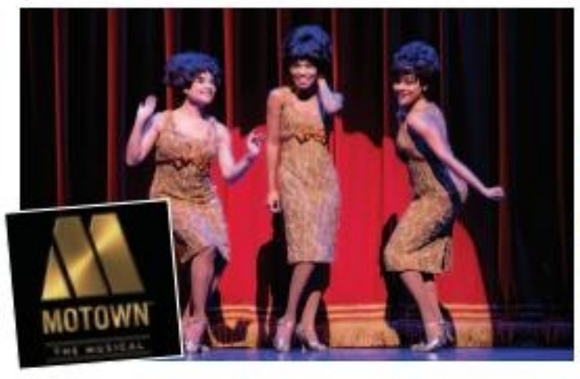

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Jon's bellowing on his own

By Josh Cox

JON Boden is best known as the lead singer and fiddle player of the progressive folk juggernaut Bellowhead, but he is about to set out on his first solo tour.

One of the stand out performers of traditional music of his generation, Jon has won 11 BBC Radio 2 Folk Awards.

Widely respected as an accomplished interpreter of traditional song, his musical repertoire extends far beyond the boundaries of just one genre.

This new show combines elements from the broad creative span of his career, from the self-penned songs of debut solo album Painted Lady – with a special 10th anniversary reissue of this album ahead of the tour – material from Bellowhead, Spiers & Boden, Songs From The Floodplain, and his A Folk Song A Day project in which he recorded 365 folk songs in one year.

Jon's compelling live shows provide insight into a man of many and various talents who manages to draw audiences deeper into the worlds of traditional music and of his own highly accomplished song writing.

Jon is a master on fiddle, guitar and concertina, as well as his trademark 'stompbox', he is a true folk dynamo you won't want to miss.

Throughout Jon's music he has always had an ongoing commitment to social singing, and he's actively promoted this via his involvement in Royal Traditions and Soundpost, two Sheffield based organisations.

As well as conquering the folk scene, he has composed music for both theatre and film, working along-side the likes of the Royal Shakespeare Company and appearing in Richard Curtis's About Time.

Tickets for Jon Boden at The Anvil on Saturday, May 13 are priced £22, which includes £2 booking fee. For more information or for tickets, call the Anvil Arts box office on 01256 844244, or visit the website: anvilarts.org.uk.

Viel spass!

MUSIC: One of the most bizarre brass ensembles comes to The Anvil tonight at 7.45pm.

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Tickets for the show are £32.

Folk trio feature

MUSIC: Folk band TEYR are set to bring their unique combination of folk tunes and Irish poetry to Phoenix Arts tomorrow at 8pm.

Their unique music style draws close links between the sounds of the Celtic and British Isles.

Tickets for the gig are £11.

Celtic prowess

MUSIC: Coming to the The Forge tonight at 8pm are Jamie Smith's Mabon, one of the most highly accomplished and critically acclaimed Celtic roots music bands in Britain today.

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Fri, May 5, 7:15pm
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On the road

As you would expect the A5 handling is poised thanks to Audi's engineers setting up the suspension with perfect precision, although the ride can be quite harsh, especially for those of you who wanted a softer approach. If you do decide to engage WARP drive and stick it into the corners – you will safely come out the other side still pointing in the same direction - mainly due to the fact that it has Audi's brilliant Quattro permanent all-wheel drive system fitted which happens to have a self-locking center differential and Torque Vectoring - along with a whole host of safety features such as ABS, EBD and a dual circuit breaking system.

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As you would expect from Audi, the cabin materials are exceptional quality and this runs right though the veins of the A5. There is even more good news – because gone are the days of the normal dull plastics that you expect from the Audi designers. Overall then, the quality and feel inside are excellent, with all the dials and switches set out in such a way that the driver will always have finger tip control with minimal effort.

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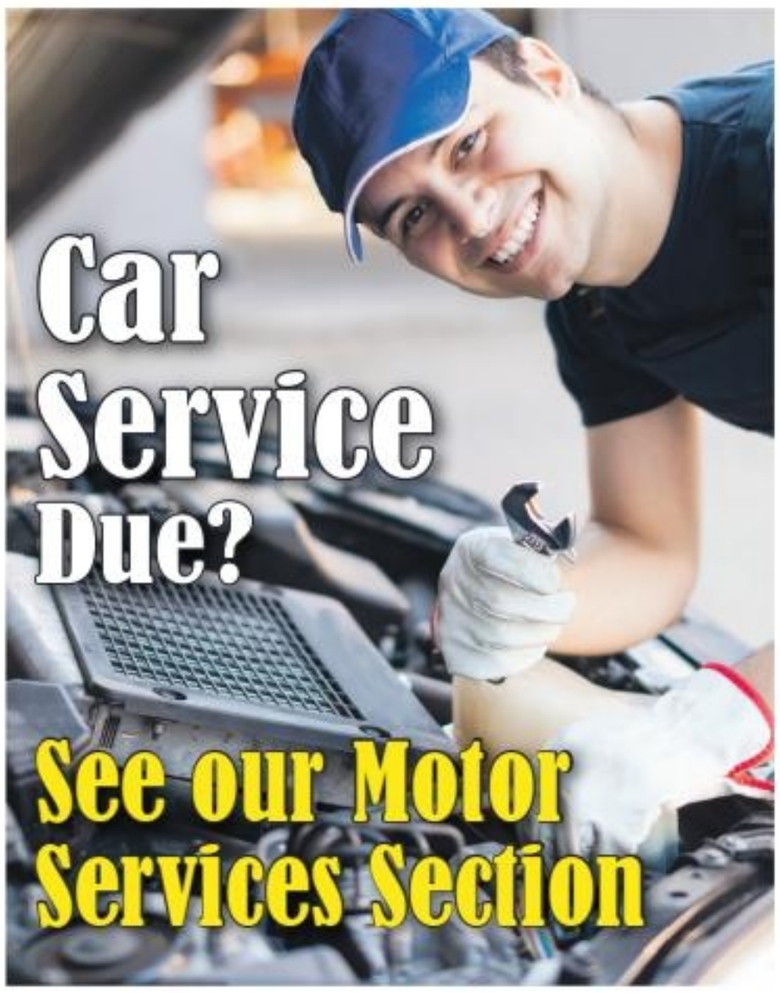

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Dream start for Collard as debut victory puts him top

By Adam Flinn

RICKY Collard made a flying start to his ADAC GT Masters career by winning his first race in the series on his first weekend.

The 20-year-old north Hampshire racing driver took victory in race two at Oschersleben with team-mate Philipp Eng to put the duo top of the standings.

Collard is also leading the junior standings after an impressive display driving in the BMW M6 GT3, fielded by BMW Team Schnitzer.

The pairing of Collard and Eng took 10th in race one at the German circuit, but dominated race two for a dream start to the season.

Eng was behind the wheel for the first stint and built up a six second gap to the rest of the pack before making his mandatory pitstop and handing over the reins to Collard.

Two safety car periods bunched the pack together, but Collard defended brilliantly from those behind to take the team's maiden victory.

Collard's performance was even more impressive as this is his first competitive season in sports cars, having been in single seaters for the last few years.

He said: "BMW and my team boss, Charly Lamm, took a big gamble when they signed me, because I had no GT experience going into this season and I have never raced outside the UK before.

"I've been given a great team-mate in Philipp, from whom I've already learnt a lot.

"We had been hoping for top-10 finishes at Oschersleben, but as the weekend progressed we kept adjusting our expectations upwards.

"That was not an easy race. I came under a lot of pressure from the Corvette towards the end, but I withstood it.

"Many thanks to BMW and Team Schnitzer for the confidence they have placed in me."

The next races are at the Lausitzring on May 20 and 21.

Ricky Collard holds off the chasing pack. Picture courtesy of ADAC Motorsport

Sport Bites

High hopes

CRICKET: Basingstoke and North Hants Cricket Club are set to benefit from the experience of David Griffiths who has joined as club coach.

The former Hamsphire and Kent bowler will be overseeing coaching at all levels for the upcoming season as well as playing.

The Bountymen's first XI are aiming to achieve promotion to the Southern Premier League from Division One, where they will be competing this year.

Pre-season has seen victories over Andover in a friendly and Middleton-on-Sea in the national cup and a defeat to Guildford in the opening friendly.

So far Will Phillips, Dean Nurse and captain Michael Stokes have shown impressive form with the bat while Griffiths and Martyn James are contributing reliably with the ball.

Mixed start

CRICKET: Hampshire had a mixed start to their one-day cup campaign.

In the first game against Kent at Canterbury they secured a six-wicket victory thanks to an unbeaten 112 from Tom Alsop and James Vince chipping in with 69.

Earlier, Kent were all out for 258 – Reece Topley the pick of the bowlers with 3-65.

The Royals failed to capitalise though by falling to a 25-run defeat at Essex.

The hosts chalked up a competitive 304 for 7 before dismissing Hampshire for 279.

Rob's return

MOTORSPORT: Rob Collard returns to British Touring Car Championship action this weekend as the series heads to Thruxton.

The north Hampshire driver has had a consistent start to the season, picking up two podiums in the first six races and scoring solid points in the other four.

He is fifth in the BTCC standings on 67 points – the same as reigning champion Gordon Shedden.

Six under par just not good enough for Rose

NORTH Hampshire golfer Justin Rose failed to make the cut at the Zurich Classic of New Orleans on Friday, despite posting a score of six under par.

Rose was playing alongside fellow major winner Henrik Stenson in the reformatted competition, which saw teams of two battle it out for the title.

But the gold and silver medallists at the 2016 Rio Olympics couldn't progress past Friday.

The damage was done on Thursday, when they could only manage a level par score of 72 for their first round while many pairings were getting into the mid-60s.

They recovered on Friday and put in a much improved showing to post 66.

However, knowing they needed a birdie on the par-five 18th to qualify for the weekend's play, both found the water and a par saw them miss the cut by one shot.

Writing on Twitter, Rose said: "Not the week we wanted, but a great format and brilliant event from Zurich Classic as always."

Jonas Blixt and Cameron Smith won the title after winning a play-off on the fourth hole against Kevin Kisner and Scott Brown, after both had finished on 27 under par.

Disappointment for Justin Rose

Drama of shoot out as Basingstoke win cup

IT went to penalties, but Basingstoke Town pulled off an upset to beat Premier League side AFC Bournemouth to win the Hampshire Senior Cup on Tuesday night.

Town triumphed 7-6 on penalties after the match had finished 0-0 in normal time.

Both sides had shots that hit the bar during the match, with Marcus Johnson-Schuster coming close to scoring early on.

Nana Owusu thought he had scored in the dying moments of the match, with the linesman ruling the ball hadn't crossed the line despite appeals from Basingstoke players.

But after a 16-kick shootout to decide the match, Basingstoke were eventually crowned the winners over Bournemouth's under-21 side.

It comes as the club has been asked by the FA to explain events before and during their final league game of the season.

The kick-off against Hitchin Town was delayed by around seven minutes because of a pitch invasion and various items were thrown from the stands in protest against owner Rafi Razzak.

After receiving the referee's match report, the club was contacted by the FA and have until May 4 to respond.

■ See page 3 for more on the club's future

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Aircraft technician hoping to win a place in Invictus Games team

'Archery helping me fight off chronic fatigue illness'

By Matthew Brown

A NON-commissioned officer based at RAF Odiham is in line to fire the UK's Invictus Games Team to glory.

Clare Langham-Phillips, an aircraft technician at the base, is looking to represent the UK in archery after attending team trials in Bath.

The games take place in Toronto from September 22 to 30.

Last year, 49-year-old Clare was diagnosed with chronic fatigue syndrome.

She has suffered from a series of non-descript symptoms for the last three years, such as colds and feeling run down, which had a big impact on her.

"For a while I fell apart," said Clare, who has served her country for 30 years.

"I would have anxiety going out.

"It affected my relationship with my wife when we didn't know what was wrong with me.

"I'd claim to be fine with my life but I wouldn't discuss my career.

"I planned to serve until I was 55 but I'm now likely to be medically discharged.

"I've lost what I had."

Clare was inspired to take up archery by her brother Andy, who was medically discharged from the RAF after sustaining spinal injury during the first Gulf War.

He suffered from mental health problems and spent a period homeless before turning to archery while in rehabilitation.

"I didn't want to compete against my brother so I decided to have a go at recurve archery – not compound, which is his area," Clare said.

"It is not all about winning medals.

"It's the whole ethos of the journey and being in an environment with others who know how you feel.

"I now have so much energy when I go home from an archery training session."

The British Invictus Games team will be announced at the end of this month.

Clare with brother Andy on the butt

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